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Fortresses Attack Ploesti Rail Yards

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, NAPLES (AP)—U.S. Fortresses and Liberators based in the Mediterranean pounded railway yards at the oil field centre of Ploesti, Rumania, today, it was announced tonight.

Ploesti is 50 miles north of Bucharest, the Rumanian capital which was attacked Tuesday by U.S. bombers for the first time. The great oil fields which were torn and burned by a mighty force of Liberators Aug. 1, 1943, were not the target for the new assault, which was directed at the two rail yards and rolling stock supplying the German armies battling the Russians approximately 250 miles to the east.

Wake Harbor Hit

WASHINGTON (AP)—U.S. Navy planes striking at Japanese-held Wake Island in mid-Pacific sank a small cargo vessel at the dock, the navy announced this afternoon.

Greek Cabinet Quits

CAIRO (CP-Reuters)—The entire Greek government here has submitted its resignation to King George of Greece, it was officially announced tonight.

J. A. McGeer Named County Court Judge

VANCOUVER (CP)—James A. McGeer, deputy sheriff of the County of Vancouver, has been appointed county court judge for Cariboo to fill the vacancy created by Judge J. O. Wilson's promotion to the B.C. Supreme Court. It was reported here this afternoon.

Judge McGeer is a brother of G. G. McGeer, K.C., Liberal M.P. for Vancouver-Burrard.

Eire Phone's Cut

LONDON (CP)—The Postmaster-General announced today the closing of public telephone service between Great Britain and all parts of Ireland immediately in a drastic new move to prevent leakage of military information on the coming invasion of Europe.

The order follows the recent ban on travel between the same countries.

100 Places Taken By Russians

LONDON (AP)—The Russians announced tonight more than 100 other settlements in the Odessa region were captured when Razdelnaya fell. Progress was reported also in the Bessarabian push.

"In the Kishinev direction," said the broadcast communique, "our troops continued to wage offensive engagements in which they captured a district centre of the Moldavian Republic, Tustlenny, and more than 30 other places."

Close Cwac Camp

OTTAWA (CP)—The Canadian Women's Army Corps basic training centre No. 2, Vermilion, Alta., will be closed May 15, National Defence headquarters announced today. In future all basic training will be given at No. 3 C.W.A.C. (B) training centre, Kitchener, Ont.

Carrier Planes Blasted Tirpitz

LONDON (AP)—Disclosing details of Monday's aerial bombardment of the German battleship Tirpitz, the Admiralty said tonight that two waves of carrier-based planes attacked the 35,000-ton giant in her Norwegian hide-away as she was about to cast anchor, hit her along nearly her full length with heavy and medium bombs and silenced her anti-aircraft guns.

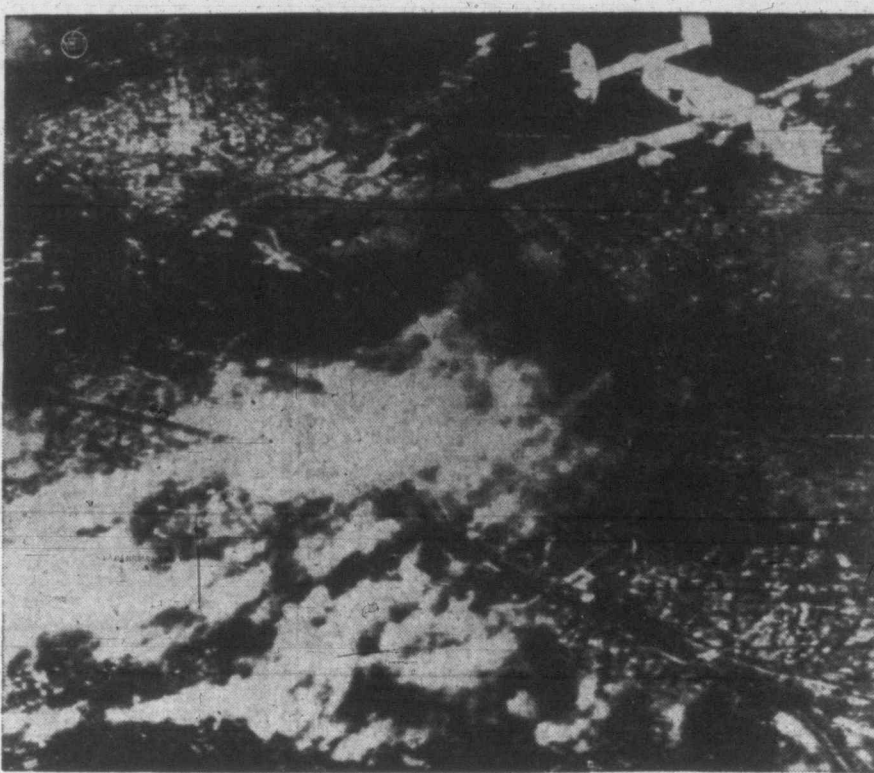
Horthy Prisoner

MADRID (AP)—Diplomatic reports from Budapest said today that Admiral Nicholas Horthy, Regent of Hungary, is held prisoner in his Budapest palace, guarded by Hungarian Nazis commanded by German Gestapo agents.

Opposes Jap Deportation

VANCOUVER (CP)—Opposition to the deportation of Canadian Japanese after the war today was voiced by Angus MacInnis, C.C.F. member of Parliament for Vancouver East, in a letter replying to a resolution sent by the Provincial Command, Army and Navy Veterans, to B.C. members of Parliament demanding repatriation of Japanese.

Sofia Bombed in Daylight



This is the first radiotelephoto transmitted to this continent from the U.S. Signal Corps' new transmitting point in Naples, Italy. It shows bomb bursts scattered through railroad yards and adjoining industrial area in Sofia during the record aerial attack on the Bulgarian capital by the U.S. heavies which flew from bases in Italy. Most of the Bulgarian railroad traffic passes through Sofia.

Scotland Yard Raids Trotskyites In Drive Against Coal Strikers

By WILLIAM STEWART
LONDON (CP)—Scotland Yard detectives today raided the offices of the British sector of the Fourth International in a move reported to be connected with the promise of drastic action against strikes interfering with second front production.

The raid, made by members of the yard's special branch on a meeting place of British Trotskyites, followed Labor Minister Ernest Bevin's statement Tuesday that the war would not be lost because of strike by apprentices, miners or anyone else.

The raid was carried out while the Labor Minister was due to meet Trades Union Council officials to discuss the spreading strikes in the mines, which have resulted in reduced gas and electricity supplies.

**Woman Taken Away;
Offices Searched**

Crowds, gathered around the office on Harrow Road in the Paddington district, saw the officers drive away with a young woman. Other officers remained at the office to search the premises, which contained files of Socialist Appeal, the so-called organ of the Revolutionary Communist Party.

The press had linked the Fourth International with inciting the apprentices' strike in the Clydeside and Tyneside and Huddersfield shipyards.

The action by Scotland Yard was taken as the first outward sign the government may have to hit at subversive elements before getting to the root of the situation in the coalfields.

The first references to the possibility that subversive influences were at work came during the strike of the Tyneside shipyard apprentices.

Today the London Daily Telegraph reported the existence of two suspected organizations, the Workers' Militant Movement and the Revolutionary Communist Party, whose members are believers in class war and revolutionary Socialism.

The Workers' Militant Movement was connected in newspaper stories with the apprentices' strike, the back of which now has been broken, and the second organization was said by the Telegraph to have the same objective—promotion of strikes and the overthrow of established machinery for dealing with industrial disputes.

Hospital Plan Approved

Floor plans for a joint Navy and Department of Pensions and National Health hospital here, have been approved by those departments, R. W. Mayhew, M.P., was informed by wire from Ottawa today.

The specifications, Mr. Mayhew said, called for a 250-bed unit, with 100 of those beds allocated to the Pensions and Health Department, Administration

offices, for the latter department are included in plans for the building.

Arrangements are in line with those sought by Mr. Mayhew and the local committee headed by R. H. B. Ker and representatives of war veterans associations in Victoria for this region. Further details of the plan, with construction dates and costs, will be announced later.

Union Leaders Embarrassed

Both strikes caused considerable grief to trade union leaders themselves because of the fact that their organizations would be branded as not being sufficiently responsible at the war's most critical moment.

The strikes spread through the Belfast shipyards, where approximately 9,000 workers quit in a dispute centring about shipyard engineers and aircraft factory workers who had previously stopped work.

A spokesman for the shipyard crew said they had walked out in protest against the imprisonment of five men charged with participating in an aircraft strike which had been called in sympathy with the engineers.

Commons to Hear Statement on Coal

Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden announced in the House of Commons, meanwhile, that he hoped that Gwyn Lloyd George, Minister of Fuel and Power, would be able to make a statement for the government at the next sitting of the House on the situation in the coal fields, where a series of strikes have seriously cut down production, which has in turn reduced the amount of power available for war plants.

Meanwhile, the total of strikers in the United Kingdom reached 100,000 today, with 30,000 men in Belfast idle in addition to 70,000 in Yorkshire coal mines.

In the Belfast district 20,000 were idle in shipyards, 7,000 in aircraft plants, 2,000 in munitions works and several hundred on the docks.

Labor Minister Ernest Bevin met with the General Council of the Trades Union Congress trying to halt the coal strikes.

Big Events Likely On Balkan Front

NEW YORK (CP)—The BBC today quoted in a broadcast directed to southeastern Europe a dispatch from the London News-Chronicle correspondent in Cairo, Philip Jordan, as saying that "vast and far-reaching events might well appear in the Balkans within the next few weeks which would once more engage the operational attention of the Allied Mediterranean Command."

"For the first time in this war it may well be that British, Russian and American troops will be fighting in the same front line, and that not only their strategy will be co-ordinated, as was decided on at Teheran, but that their offensive plans will be decided by a joint command," continued the broadcast, recorded at the CBS short wave listening station.

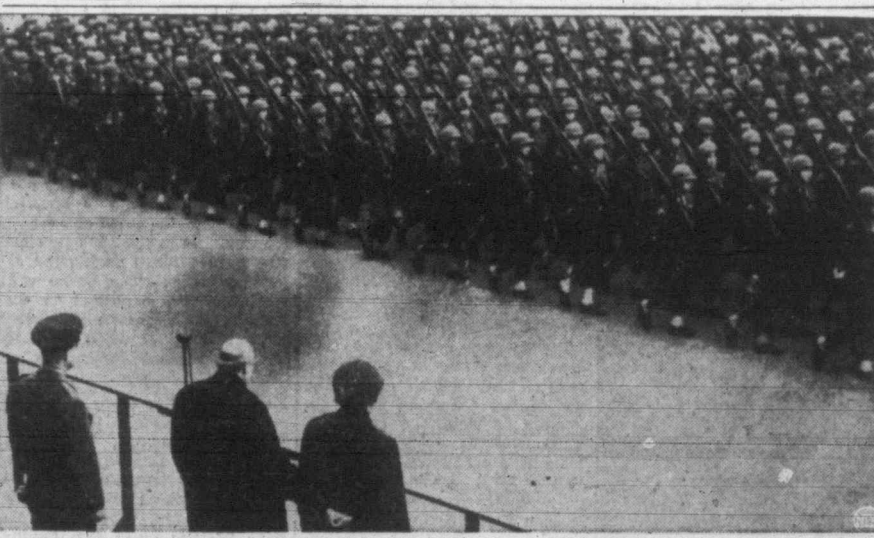
Navy Gives Release To 12 Fishing Boats

Of the 40 fishing vessels originally taken over by the navy here, 12 are being returned to the fishing industry, naval authorities announced today. The vessels will be handed over in perfect condition, it is stated.

S.C. in Federal Field

TORONTO (CP)—The National Social Credit convention here passed a resolution this afternoon providing for the establishment of a national political organization prepared to participate in federal election contests.

The resolution was given enthusiastic approval on a voice vote which appeared to be almost unanimous. The action followed defeat by a secret ballot at the morning session of an amendment moved by Quebec delegates which urged continued concentration on educational rather than political activities.



GLIMPSE OF INVASION FORCES—Prime Minister Churchill sees masses of highly-trained U. S. troops as they march in review at an undisclosed point in England. At left is Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Supreme Commander of Allied invasion forces. (NEA telephoto).

Last Land Retreat From Odessa Barred

Turks Report Rumania To Ask Armistice

NEW YORK (AP)—A Blue Network broadcast from London today quoted dispatches from Turkey as saying Premier Antonescu of Rumania will seek an armistice from London, Washington and Moscow.

The network's correspondent, Thomas B. Grandin, said such a course had been urged on the premier by an emissary he sent to Cairo to negotiate with the United Nations.

"The time is near when the Germans no longer will be able to hold the Balkans," Grandin said. "Nothing would be less surprising than a complete collapse of Rumania."

The Associated Press had no confirmation of the report, which came less than 24 hours after U.S. bombers had smashed at targets in Bucharest, and while Russian troops were advancing only 200 miles northeast of the Rumanian capital.

Earlier, the Berlin radio had said Antonescu had issued a proclamation deploring the U.S. attack and calling on his people to stand firm.

Waskesiu's Sponsor, Builders, Wire Congratulations

Mrs. W. C. Woodward, wife of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, was quite proud today of the success of H.M.C.S. Waskesiu in sinking a German submarine and capturing prisoners. She christened the frigate at the launching ceremony at Yarrow's Esquimalt yards last year. Today she sent the following letter of congratulation to Lt. Cmdr. J. P. Fraser, R.C.N.R., commanding officer of the Waskesiu:

"The pleasure I experienced officiating at the christening of H.M.C.S. Waskesiu has been considerably enhanced by the news of her recent successful engagement and I hasten to ask you to accept for yourself and to convey to your officers and all members of your crew my personal congratulations and those of the people of British Columbia for the splendid contribution you have all made and will, we are sure, continue to make to the achievements of His Majesty's Canadian Navy in this, the world's greatest fight for freedom and security from oppression. You are doing a great job of work and we are proud of you."

Yarrow's sent the following telegram to Lt. Cmdr. Fraser: "All of us at this shipyard are very proud and encouraged by your distinguished and successful accomplishment with the first frigate built by us, the Waskesiu, and we send your officers and men our hearty congratulations on your brave and valuable contribution to victory."

(See page 10 for story of the Waskesiu's engagement.)

Military Positions On Calais Coast Bombed By Heavies

LONDON (AP)—United States heavy bombers attacked military objectives in the Pas-de-Calais area of France today, air force headquarters announced.

As the bombers, flying with a strong escort of fighters, reopened the Allied daylight aerial pounding of Europe from the west after a three-day lull, the Berlin radio claimed other bomber fleets were over central Germany in mid-afternoon.

Keeping up a running commentary on the progress of the bombers, the radio said the hostile planes were leaving Reich territory at 4 p.m.

The daylight operations followed heavy blows by U.S. and British Mediterranean-based air forces at Balkan capitals and a night attack on Cologne and other objectives in the industrial Ruhr by R.A.F. Mosquitoes.

The Mosquitoes, some of which now carry 4,000-pound block-busters, all returned safely.

An Air Ministry communique said a Mosquito on offensive patrol over northern France Tuesday shot down a single enemy plane.

The Mosquitoes had made 23 trips over the continent during March in "reminder" assaults on German cities previously battered by the R.A.F.'s heavy bombers. Tuesday night's operation was their second time out in four nights this month.

11,000 Berliners Killed in 2 Raids

STOCKHOLM (AP)—Eleven thousand Berliners were killed in the last two raids on the German capital, the Swedish newspaper Aftonbladet reported today in a story attributed to a diplomatic source with a wide knowledge of Berlin damage.

The story said the Bayer medical concern on Kurfuerstendamm was destroyed by a blockbuster which killed 200.

(In the last big raid on Berlin, the night of March 24, the R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. dropped 2,800 tons of bombs. On March 22, U.S. heavy bombers hit Berlin with 1,500 tons.)

The story reiterated previous unconfirmed reports that Joachim Ribbentrop's Foreign Ministry was moving to Vienna, where it was expected to take up quarters in the Imperial Hotel. It was said anti-aircraft and other defences of Vienna are being increased.

No More Diners

NEW YORK (CP)—Sixty-five dining cars—all that remain on Britain's railroads—were being taken off today, CBS correspondent Charles Shaw reported in a broadcast from London. Shaw said the cars had been taken off during the Easter season every year of the war, but this time the diners won't be put back. The cars are to be used for more important military purposes. Diners had been taken off most routes within the last two years.

Prime Minister Shoots



Mr. Churchill tries out a U.S. infantry carbine while visiting U.S. forces at a camp in England.

Italian Troops On Mt. Marrone Repulse Germans

NAPLES (AP)—Italian troops on Mount Marrone, 15 miles northeast of Cassino, have repulsed a German counterattack, inflicting casualties, it was announced today.

The Italians, fighting with the Allied 5th Army, were reported last week to have seized the mile-high peak as well as two others in the vicinity.

Elsewhere along the front there were heavy artillery duels and sharp patrol clashes. Allied artillery caused casualties among the Germans and destroyed two ammunition dumps.

Considerable enemy movement was observed just northwest of Cassino, dispatches from the front said. In Cassino itself an enemy patrol was attacked with small arms fire and six of its members were killed.

NEW POSITIONS BLASTED

Fifth Army patrols on the Garigliano front discovered new German machinegun positions, which were brought under fire by mortar batteries.

Allied artillery was active, meanwhile, on the Anzio beach-head front south of Rome, hitting and setting afire a German self-propelled gun just west of Cisterna, blasting an ammunition dump three miles northwest of the town and inflicting casualties on small enemy groups a mile to the southwest.

A tower in Littoria which the Germans were believed to be using for observation purposes was demolished by shellfire.

Wood Alcohol Group Charged As Trust

NEW YORK (AP)—An indictment charging 21 corporations, 32 individuals and a trade association with conspiracy to violate the Federal anti-trust laws in the production and sale of wood alcohol was returned by a federal grand jury here today.

Jap Train Blasted

CHUNGKING (AP)—The Central News Agency today quoted a Chinese eyewitness as saying some 1,500 Japanese troops were killed Feb. 15, when U.S. aircraft attacked a train near Nanking. The same man, who had escaped into Free China, said heavy casualties were inflicted on 3,000 Japanese troops aboard two ships attacked by U.S. planes near Wuhu, Mar. 4.

Carrier Launched

VANCOUVER, Wash. (AP)—The escort aircraft carrier Makin Island, named after the Gilbert Islands atoll, splashed into the Columbia River today to replace a sister ship lost off the Gilberts.

200,000 Nazis Must Go By Sea To Escape Russ

LONDON (AP)—Russian troops cut the Germans' last overland railway from Odessa today by capturing the junction of Razdelnaya, 40 miles northwest of the beleaguered Black Sea naval base.

Marshal Stalin announced the victory in a broadcast order of the day, declaring Razdelnaya was "an important strongpoint in German defences on the approaches to Odessa." He said the coup cut "the main road of retreat to Rumania."

Some 200,000 German and Rumanian troops now are pinned against the Black Sea in the Odessa littoral. The only escape route remaining open to the Germans is a small ferry line across from Odessa to Ovidiopol.

Russians Battle In Tarnopol Streets

By HENRY C. CASSIDY

MOSCOW (AP)—Russian troops fought in the streets of Tarnopol for possession of that Nazi stronghold today as field dispatches declared the Red Army had all but wiped out the remnants of 15 surrounded German divisions in the Skala pocket west of Kamenets Podolski and had launched new blows at Lwow and Odessa at opposite ends of the far-flung southern front.

Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's 1st Army is in possession of most of Tarnopol, a Soviet communique announced, and a struggle was being waged to oust the German garrison. More than 3,000 Nazis were killed and 300 captured during the past three days, the bulletin added. The 10-day battle for the city, guarding the approaches to Lwow, 70 miles farther west, apparently was reaching its climax.

Zhukov's right wing, which bypassed Tarnopol after it was surrounded March 26, was less than 50 miles from Lwow, the communique declared.

Other Red Army forces, driving on Kishinev, capital of Bessarabia, have captured 30 localities on a 50-mile front straddling both sides of the lower Dniester, the communique announced, and were within 32 miles of the city of Dolbany, Odespovka, 35 miles north of Tiraspol, another important communications centre, also fell to the Russian advance.

Boast of Flight

NEW YORK (CP)—The Germans in Russia apparently are boasting of their ability to flee. Today's German communique trumpeted: "In the area north of Czernowitz German fighting forces operating north of the Dniester forced their way back to new positions as ordered."

5 Canadian Fliers Killed in Crash

OTTAWA (CP)—Five crewmen of an R.C.A.F. transport command plane were killed and its cargo of service mail destroyed when it crashed and burned on a take-off from Prestwick, Scotland, the R.C.A.F. announced today. The date was not disclosed.

The dead—FO. Norman C. Cathcart, Ottawa, pilot; FO. John D. Shanahan, Ottawa, co-pilot; FO. Hugh C. McFadden, Eastview, Ont., navigator; FO. Gordon T. Gaunt, Irberville, Que., wireless operator; Cpl. Elmer I. Laverne, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., engineer.

FO. Shanahan some time ago had survived 10 days in a rubber dinghy in the Mediterranean.

Frenchmen Revolt

LONDON (CP-Reuters)—Groups of French patriots battled for a whole day amid the mountains of central France against 1,500 Germans armed with flame throwers and machineguns, said reports reaching French quarters in London today. Forty Germans were killed. The patriots set fire to a munition dump and to large stocks of supplies. The main body of patriots broke through the German force and escaped. Eight Frenchmen were killed.

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15,000 Workers Need of Farmers In B.C. This Year

B.C. farms will need 30 per cent more help than they had last year, a meeting here of the Dominion-Provincial Farm labor committee has decided.

Last year about 11,000 persons did farm work in this province. This year at least 15,000 persons—men, women and children—will be needed.

B.C. officials of the farm labor bureau have been meeting at the Parliament Buildings in the last two days with officials from the labor department at Ottawa. The meetings have taken place with Hon. K. C. MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, in his office.

Farm crops in B.C. are expected to be about 30 per cent greater this year than last, with the result that more help will be needed.

Again this year office and store workers are going to be asked to help gather the crops. The farmers just can't do without them, said William MacGillivray, director of the farm labor service in B.C.

"We can't do without these people—we're well satisfied with what the people of B.C. did last year and we know they will do it again," he said. "But we'll need more help—everything indicates a larger berry crop on Vancouver Island."

Arrangements are being made, if necessary, to bring women from Alberta, as was done last year, when 153 women from that province helped B.C. farmers. Plans are being made to increase the number, but it is pointed out there is no possibility of bringing men from Alberta.

Farm hostels will again be used this year, to house the temporary farm workers, but the meeting has decided no girls under 16 years will be taken to farms for several weeks and housed in these hostels.

"We have found they just haven't the stamina to carry on," Mr. MacGillivray said. "Of course, if they wish to work now and then, and go to the farm each morning and return home in the evening—well, that is different."

COST SHARED

The farm labor program costs are shared 50-50 by the Dominion and the province. British Columbia again this year has \$120,000 for this work. Last year, however, only \$80,000 was spent.

Those meeting with Dr. MacDonald here, in addition to Mr. MacGillivray, included Col. George M. Endacott, Vancouver, chairman of the Emergency Farm Labor committee; Ernest MacGinnis, secretary; W. McKintyre, Vancouver, regional supervisor of National Selective Service; Col. J. E. Wood, Vancouver, agricultural adviser to National Selective Service; Maj. J. B. Cowell, director of National Selective Service for the Pacific area; and T. B. Pickersgill, H. R. Hare and Gordon Bell, of the Department of Labor at Ottawa, who have been touring Canada, consulting provincial agriculture officials in each capital, in an effort to guarantee farmers that their crops will be harvested.

Czech Government Agrees With Plans

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Czechoslovak government in London has agreed with Russia, Britain and the United States on a plan for administering its territory as soon as military operations permit.

The Czech embassy here was so advised today in a communication from London, which said a delegation of the government will go into Czechoslovakian liberated areas the moment the Russian Army command declares them behind the line.

The Red Army is practically at the Czech northeast border already, but first Allied troops to re-enter the country are to be an independent Czech brigade, the message said.

Czech guerrillas have established contact with advancing Russian forces, the London report said.

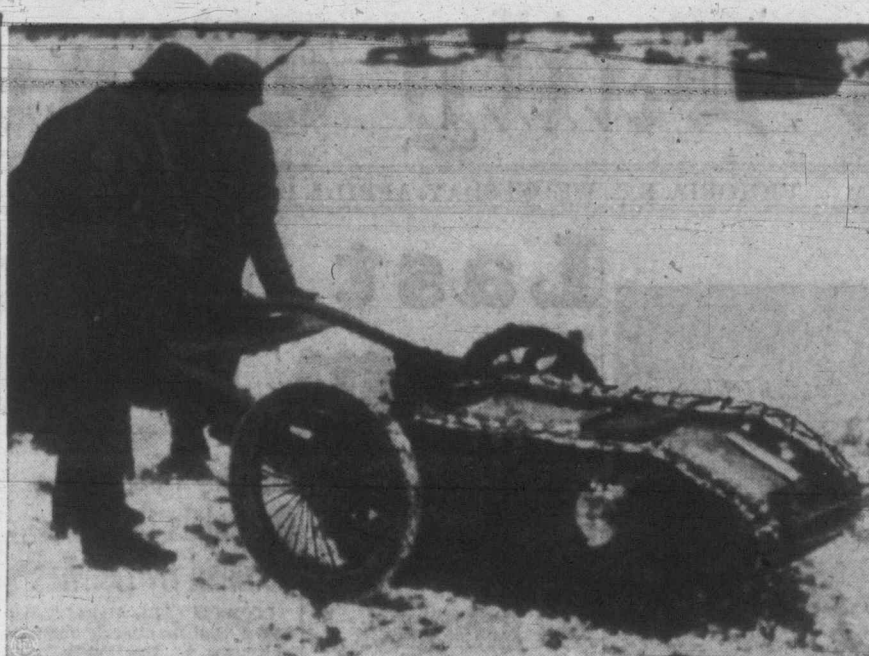
The plans for Czechoslovakia do not provide for any form of Allied military government.

New Canadian Wheat To Combat Sawfly

OTTAWA (CP)—A new Canadian wheat named "88" on which Canadian authorities are pinning hopes of combating the disastrous sawfly, is nearing harvest in California, agricultural department authorities said today.

The wheat will be sown this year at the Swift Current Experimental Station in Saskatchewan, where it was originated.

The seed was sent to California to take advantage of climatic conditions in speeding reproduction. Dr. L. H. Newman, director of the department's cereal division, said calculation of the value of the new strain of wheat was "purely speculative."



FIRST PICTURE OF NAZIS' NEW WEAPON—Two German soldiers are shown unloading, from a two-wheeled dolly, one of the new midget tanks which actually are radio-controlled mobile bombs. Although dubbed "Goliath," the explosive-carrying machine as used by the Nazis has met with little success in Russia and Italy. This picture, taken in Russia, was radioed from Stockholm.

Canada's Honor Roll

OFFICERS, DIED OF WOUNDS

Canadian Provost Corps
METEEL, John Temple, Lieut., Fort Bur-

well, Ont.

SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

Royal Canadian Artillery
BRATTIN, James, Capt., Cunningham,

Lieut., London, England.

WOUNDED

Nova Scotia and P.E.I. Regiment
MACMILLAN, Allister Myrie, Capt., Shel-

field Mills, N.S.

SEVERELY WOUNDED

British Columbia Regiment
SCOTT, Walter Nelson, Lieut., New

Westminster, B.C.

WARRANT OFFICERS, K.C.O.'S AND MEN KILLED IN ACTION

Regiment of Québec
BOUCHARD, Joseph Aurèle, Pte., Mont-

real, Que.

PRESUMED KILLED IN ACTION

Central Ontario Regiment
BROOKS, Raymond, Pte., Toronto.

DIED OF WOUNDS

Royal Canadian Artillery
THOMPSON, James Turner, BSM, Fred-

erston, N.E.

R.C.A.F.

BRIGGS, William Edmund, FS, Van-

couver, B.C.

FRISONER OF WAR, GERMANY

PERRIER, George Norton, Sgt., Toronto.

RICHARDS, Frederick James, FS, Toronto.

RAYMOND, William Gilbert Norman,

FS, Vancouver, B.C.

SEVERELY WOUNDED

Eastern Ontario Regiment
JAMES, Stanley Pte., Peterborough, Ont.

Nova Scotia and P.E.I. Regiment
MACPHEE, George Edward, Pte., New

Westminster, N.S.

DIED

Canadian Armored Corps
CHAPMAN, Gilbert, Tpr., Vancouver.

Royal Canadian Artillery
POTTS, Matthew, Gnr., Burgessville,

Ontario.

SEVERELY WOUNDED

Eastern Ontario Regiment
HENRY, Joseph Oliver, Pte., Madoc, Ont.

Saskatchewan Regiment
PAYNE, John Francis Bertram, A-Cpl.,

Assiniboia, Sask.

DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED

Royal Canadian Artillery
FEIL, Gerhard, Pte., Husley, Alta.

SEVERELY WOUNDED

Central Ontario Regiment
JONES, Robert Tom, Pte., Brantford,

Ontario.

MAINTAINED REGIMENT

MACLAURIN, Dennis, Pte., Fort William,

Ont.

Royal Canadian Artillery

McKNIGHT, Clarence, Pte., Ottawa.

WOUNDED

Canadian Armored Corps
MULLEN, Vincent Robert, Cpl., St. John's,

Nfld.

Royal Canadian Artillery

ARCHER, William Frederick, Gnr., Ver-

don, Ont.

Royal Canadian Corps of Signals

SMYTH, Herbert David, Signaller, Toronto.

Central Ontario Regiment
HALFORD, Howard Edward, Pte., Tor-

onto, Ont.

Eastern Ontario Regiment

BROWN, Kenneth Andrew, Pte., York

Mills, Ont.

Nova Scotia and P.E.I. Regiment

FRASER, Daniel Peter, Cpl., Amherst,

N.S.

New Brunswick Regiment

CHANDLER, Dawson Stephen, Cpl.,

Chatham, N.B.

St. John's, Nfld.

PERKINS, Fraser Donald, Pte., West

Assiniboia, N.B.

Royal Canadian Artillery

ROSS, William Victor, Pte., Winnipeg.

SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

Canadian Armored Corps

BEDFORD, Russell Albert, Tpr., Kil-

larny, Man.

BRIDGE, Robert, James, L. Cpl., Three

Rivers, Que.

DUFFIELD, Gervile Gordon, Tpr., Virden,

Man.

Reconnaissance Units

CRISP, Frederick William James, Tpr.,

Toronto.

LOUTIT, William Allen, Sgt., Clendon-

dale, Alta.

Royal Canadian Artillery

ABBOTT, Robert William, Gnr., Wood-

stock, Ont.

EVANS, Douglas Leo, Gnr., Halifax, N.S.

GABRIEL, William Joseph, A-Mtr., Can-

adoque, Ont.

SCOTT, Carl Raymond, Gnr., Minn-

sville, N.S.

TURLE, Thomas Henry, Gnr., Bethune,

Sask.

YEMEN, David Roger, Gnr., Guelph, Ont.

Royal Canadian Engineers

AUSTAD, Stanley Edmund, Spr., Trail,

B.C.

FRASER, Rodrick John, Spr., Vancouver.

HARPER, Walter Frederick, Spr., Port

Klein, N.B.

WYLLIE, William, Spr., Oakville, Ont.

Eastern Ontario Regiment

ALDERMAN, Donald Alfred, Pte., New-

castle, Ont.

ALLEN, Donald, Pte., Cornwall, Ont.

RAPPIN, Rhodessa Robert, Pte., Pem-

brooke, Ont.

Quebec Regiment

McKEE, Stanley Andrew, Pte., Kinross's

Mills, Que.

New Brunswick Regiment

RAMSAY, Norman Joseph, Cpl., New-

castle, N.B.

Manitoba Regiment

NICHOLSON, James, Pte., Arden, Man.

NORMAN, Walter Harold, Pte., Mulvi-

hill, Man.

British Columbia Regiment

BERRY, Gordon Stewart, A-Sgt., New

Westminster, B.C.

CEDERHOLM, Edmund Lionel, A-L. Cpl.,

Avon, B.C.

PROSE, Frank Pte., Yarrow, B.C.

HAAS, Joseph, Pte., Moose, Sask.

Japs Holding Road Imphal to Kohima; Yanks Strike Deep

By CHARLES A. GRUMICH
NEW DELHI (AP)—

The Japanese invaders of India were reported today to be holding a 15-mile stretch of the road midway between Imphal, in the Manipur Plain, and Kohima, 60 miles north. There they must establish a pre-monsoon, weather-worthy line of communication within six weeks—or disastrously lose their long gamble for the Bengal-Assam railway, an Allied lifeline.

A Southeast Asia Command communique announced Japanese pressure has increased along the whole Assam front. It told of a successful rearguard action by British and Indian troops withdrawing from the south up the road from Tiddim, toward the edge of the main defenses of the Imphal Plain.

Some of these Allied troops have been depending on supplies and ammunition dropped from the air as they fight their way north through Japanese parties which have cut the road. The communique said Japanese forces which had reached the Imphal-Kohima highway have not yet been dislodged.

On the Arakan front along the Bay of Bengal British troops advancing toward the Japanese-held port of Akyab occupied Alathangdaw, south of Maungdaw, the communique said.

BEHIND JAP LINES

A dispatch by William Boni, Associated Press correspondent with U.S. and Chinese forces in the Mogaung Valley of north Burma, disclosed a deep penetration behind Japanese lines by U.S. marauder troops. They recently struck at the Japanese at Inkanghawing, only 16 miles northwest of Mogaung, on the railroad from Mandalay to Myit-kyina, main Japanese base in north Burma.

News of this hit-and-run harassing operation was revealed after the U.S. troops, completing their mission, had withdrawn to the mountains east of the Mogaung valley, where they are helping to block a Japanese effort to outflank Allied positions by a northward push through the mountains, chiefly along the Tanai valley.

The marauders killed at least 300 of the enemy at small cost to themselves.

The Southeast Asia communique said Allied planes, sweeping over the whole Burma area, hit oil and power installations in southern Burma, and shot up enemy columns in the India border area.

2 Hold-up Suspects

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two men have been arrested in connection with the attempted armed robbery of the Cunningham Drug Store at First Avenue and Commercial Drive, Sunday, police said today.

Three suspects are now in custody, the third man in hospital suffering from a bullet wound. He was shot in the back by Constable S. H. Sloan during the alleged robbery. The police constable is also a patient in the hospital, having accidentally shot himself in the leg while pursuing the wounded man.

Murray and five other delegates-at-large candidates, pledged to President Roosevelt, apparently won the six Democratic places. Whereas the Republicans have 24 delegates, four representing the state at large, the Democrats have 26, the extra two having been awarded by the party's national committee as a "bonus" after its 25,600-vote plurality for Roosevelt over Willkie four years ago.

Saanich to Have New Park Area At Cedar Hill

Creation of a park from land at Cedar Hill Road and McRae Avenue was decided upon by the Saanich Council Tuesday night. Report of the parks committee made by Councillor Robert Noble said the land had little value for anything else and the establishment of a park there would be satisfactory.

Proposed contract between A. D. Creer, consultant engineer, and the corporation regarding the laying of sewers was held for further consideration. The fee payable in advance to Mr. Creer was not to exceed \$17,500. The council said it wished some protection against the possibility of finding in one or two years they could not proceed with the work because of inability to obtain a right of way. Some discussion was held as to whether the work should be done under partial supervision or entirely under the municipality's engineer. A motion that the whole matter be tabled until legal advice could be obtained was carried.

Councillor Noble moved endorsement be given to actions taken by the Victoria City Council for the return of the Pacific Command to Esquimalt. He said he believed Esquimalt to be much superior to Vancouver as a naval harbor. He added Vancouver had a foggy climate and the area surrounding the harbor was island-studded, while Esquimalt had the advantage of being much closer to the open sea.

A letter from R. R. F. Sewell, 576 Obed Avenue, enclosing a grant from anonymous donors of \$300 in Victory Bonds to be used in the absolute discretion of the council for the relief of the poor, sick and needy of the municipality was received.

"Who said there wasn't a Santa Claus?" Councillor J. L. Hobbs remarked.

In a communication from the Brentwood water committee, the council learned of a well, previously used by the air force but now being abandoned. Councillor W. C. Kersey said he thought the whole outfit could be purchased for around \$2,000 and there was equipment there worth many times more than that sum.

The council decided that H. Blakeney, superintendent of works, be asked to find the needs of the locality in which the well is situated and also decided to seek further details. Reeve E. C. Warren commented "anything under 500 gallons a minute isn't worth looking at."

A motion was passed to approach R. W. Mayhew, M.P., and ask that an option on the well be reserved.

A letter from the O'Byrne Engineering and Construction Co. Ltd., on behalf of Bishop John C. Cody, D.D., Bishop of Victoria, making application for permission to build a parochial school at Palmer Road and Cumberland Street was referred to the zoning board. Petitions from residents were also received.

Also referred to the zoning board was the application of W. S. Tull, 550 Cudworth Road, for permission to convert a dwelling at 3440 Whittier Avenue into a four-suite apartment.

A verbal report of the plumbing and sanitary inspector, W. W. Woodward, on the application of Woodward Estates for permission to convert a house at 1196 Clovelly Terrace into seven suites was referred to the zoning board.

A further request from Mrs. Violet V. Cox, 1890 Haultain Street, for a street light on Haultain Street between Foul Bay Road and Richmond Road was turned down, leaving the previous motion of the council standing.

A petition was received requesting water extension along Burnside Road. The report of Mr. Blakeney told the cost of the extension would come to \$7,400, but as those who had petitioned had offered to pay a certain portion of the cost of laying the necessary 4,000 feet of pipe, the net cost to the municipality would be \$6,000. If the extension were to be put through, 14 properties would be served.

The council announced its intention to notify the residents of the report brought in and it was decided to give the matter further attention.

Application of Mrs. Dorothy Jackson, East Saanich Road, to connect the cemetery water main and consent of the Board of Cemetery Trustees of Greater Victoria, resulted in the passing of a motion that permission be granted to the proposed connection.

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Income Tax Higher Than Expected; Most Think It Fair

By CANADIAN INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC OPINION

TORONTO—The average Canadian has by this time figured out the amount of income tax he will be expected to pay on his 1943 income—he finds this amount to be more than he had expected to have to pay—and, although the figure is higher than he expected, he believes it is fair.

These facts were brought to light in a recent Gallup Poll in which opinion reporters questioned a scientifically selected cross-section of Canadian voters. Because the income tax payment of the average farmer is figured on a somewhat different basis, results below have eliminated the farm group.

After first having determined whether the individual being interviewed (or her husband in the case of housewives) was required to file an income tax return by April 30, reporters asked:

"Now, I don't want to know the amount, but have you (or your husband) figured out how much you will have to pay?"

Sixty-three per cent of those interviewed said they had already figured the amount and 37 per cent answered that they had not yet started figuring.

Because there has been wide-spread discussion among salaried groups about the amount that remains to be paid on 1943 incomes over and above the "pay as you go" amounts that have been deducted from salary

cheques, interviewers then asked those who had figured out the amount of their tax:

"Was this amount more than you expected to have to pay, or was it about what you expected?"

Answers here divided as follows:

More.....53%
Amount expected.....40%
Less.....4%
Don't know.....3%

One of the most significant things that have been shown by Institute surveys in Canada during the past two and one-half years is the great willingness on the part of John Public to sacrifice and do without, to work harder if it will help to win the war. Public opinion on many highly important issues has proved this time after time and it is further borne out by the final question that was asked of those who have figured the amount of their '43 taxes:

"Do you think the amount you have to pay is fair or not?"

Fifty-five per cent said they believed it was fair, 37 per cent said they did not think it fair and 8 per cent were undecided. Naturally a larger proportion of those who found their taxes to be higher than they expected felt that the amount was not fair but, nevertheless, nearly two-fifths of this group was satisfied that the amount was fair. Nearly three-quarters of those who had been aware of the amount due, felt that it was fair.

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Crowd Applauds Chaplin Acquittal Under Mann Act

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Film comedian Charlie Chaplin relaxed today from a court ordeal which brought his acquittal on charges of Mann Act violation, while red-haired Joan Berry, 24, his accuser, shrugged off the verdict with the comment:

"I hope he's happy. After all, I was just a witness. If the jury believed Mr. Chaplin, that is their business."

Scanning pictures of Chaplin in newspaper extras, Miss Berry remarked, "He looks very happy, doesn't he?"

Chaplin's fourth wife, Oona O'Neill, exclaimed: "I'm so glad I can hardly speak. I know he was innocent." The 18-year-old Oona is expecting a child.

Chaplin, who will be 55 in a week or so, was acquitted late Tuesday by a federal court jury. The trial, in which the government charged he transported Miss Berry, his former drama

pupil, to New York and back for immoral purposes, began March 21.

The actor-producer kept a firm rein on his emotions during the trial, but came close to breaking at the conclusion. When it was announced the jury was coming in with a verdict, he placed his head in his hands. He didn't look up when the jury foreman, Roscoe Reeder, handed the verdict to court clerk Francis Cross.

CLASP LAWYER'S HAND

"We find the defendant not guilty on count one," Cross read. Chaplin looked up and a wave of applause swept the crowded courtroom.

"We find the defendant not guilty on count two," Cross read, and at this point Chaplin leaped to his feet and clasped the hand of his lawyer, Jerry Giesler.

The jury retired at 11:02 a.m., P.D.T., and came in at 6:08 p.m. Later Chaplin said: "I believe in American justice. I've had a very fair trial."

Other legal matters concerning Miss Berry still confront Chaplin. Next Tuesday he is scheduled to appear again in federal court, with six co-defendants, for a ruling on their demurrers to indictments charging conspiracy to deprive her of her civil rights. If the demurrers are denied they will plead to the charges and a trial date will be set.

Chaplin also faces Miss Berry's civil suit alleging he is the father of her six-month-old daughter, Carol Ann.

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Today's WAR NEWS Analysis

By DE WITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

When the Japanese invaded the Manipur region of India from Burma recently this column said the operation didn't constitute a major threat to the Allies, but that it would be a mistake to treat it too lightly.

There are three main theatres. One is in the northern tip of Burma. The second is about half way down the western side—where the Mikado's men have crossed into India. The third is along the coast at the base.

The quarrel in the two upper theatres is mainly concerned with communications—China's lifeline. It is one of the vital phases of the war with Japan.

LINK WITH CHINA
To understand this you must remember that when the Japanese overran Burma and cut the Burma Road, they severed this backdoor land connection with China. That forced the Allies to resort to air transport between India and China, and to try to develop an alternate land route. For the latter they fell back on the railway, highway and river communications running north through India near the western Burmese border.

The railway ends at the town of Ledo. From Ledo U.S. engineers drove a highway into Burma, hoping in due course to run it clear across the tip to China so as to connect with the severed end of the Burma Road which leads on to Chungking.

The fighting in the extreme northern theatre revolves about the Allied effort to oust the enemy so the Ledo Road can be extended. The main objective is the Japanese base of Myitkyna, head of the railway that runs south to Rangoon on the coast. The Allies have that base surrounded, and the conflict is increasingly fierce.

In the second theatre, where the Japanese have crossed into India, they are aiming at the railway, about 75 miles from the border, and have covered about half the distance through the jungles. If they should cut the line they would raise havoc with Allied communications to China, since land and air transport are co-ordinated.

POLITICAL IDEAS
The Japanese have another important objective in this drive. That's political. They claim the invasion is being made by an Indian army of freedom. They want to start a revolt in India against Britain.

In the southern theatre on the coast the Allies are conducting an offensive from India to capture the powerful base of Akyab. That must be in Allied hands before an amphibious invasion of Burma can be attempted.

Ancient Romans obtained copper from Cyprus Island, now a British stronghold in the eastern Mediterranean, called it "aes cyprium," from which the names of both Cyprus and copper are derived.

cent and remained at that level for two consecutive months.

The adjusted cost-of-living index stood at 118.4 at Oct. 1, 1943, and this level was used when the cost-of-living bonus was merged with basic wage rates in December.

Fluctuations of the index are not reflected in wages as cost-of-living bonuses have been merged with basic wage rates under the federal government's wage control order.

The food group index moved up 0.2 points from 130.9 at Feb. 1 to 131.1 at March 1. The Bureau attributed the rise to increases for fresh vegetables which over-balanced minor declines for eggs, oranges, lemons and cheese. Miscellaneous items declined 0.1 points from 109.1 to 109.0.

Other group indexes remained unchanged—rentals at 111.9, fuel and light at 113.0, clothing at 121.3, and home furnishings and services at 118.4.

When Prime Minister King announced the merging of the cost-of-living bonus with wage rates in December, he said the government would review the whole program of price control and wage control if the cost of living increased more than 3 per

Navy, Air Force To Hunt Seals

VANCOUVER (CP)—With machine guns and precision bombs poised, men of the Royal Canadian Navy and the Royal Canadian Air Force are ready to attack the hundreds of hair seals which soon will be blocking the mouth of the Fraser River.

Each year seals have caused untold damage to fishermen's gear and among the schools of edible fish and at the suggestion of J. A. Motherwell, chief supervisor of fisheries, the navy and air force have decided to launch

an attack on the seals by both sea and air.

Eire Bans Coal

LONDON (CP)—The government of Prime Minister Eamon de Valera Tuesday night announced a complete ban on the sale of coal in Eire—reflecting the drying-up of strike-ridden Britain's export supplies as well as a further notch in Eire's belt-tightening.

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NOT PLEASANT TESTIMONY

IF PREMIER HART REQUIRED ANY justification for his initiative in setting up a Royal Commission to inquire into the forest industry of British Columbia, the sittings over which Mr. Justice Sloan already has presided have provided it in abundance. Expert testimony has revealed how abuses of modern logging methods have seriously damaged the province's salmon streams, how the livelihood of the "little man" has vanished because large interests have acquired its source to satisfy the demands of mills with enormous daily manufacturing capacity, and how the situation thus created is continually increasing the problems of the smaller operators.

There is no contravention of the law in this process; it is simply a condition which has grown into proportions which at last are emphasizing the threat to two basic industries with all its serious economic consequences. It is a sad commentary on the manner in which British Columbia has guarded its priceless heritage down the years, how public apathy has condoned the abuses revealed to the commissioner—reminding the present generation nevertheless that Mr. Hart acted in time. The inquiry should eventually produce long-overdue reforms in the realm of conservation.

Maj. James A. Motherwell, chief supervisor of fisheries in British Columbia for the Dominion government, for example, suggested to Mr. Justice Sloan that at least a half-mile strip be left unlogged along each salmon stream and around the lakes at the head of the streams. This may or may not be a practical plan. And he proposed a formula which would require licensed loggers in future to mend their ways—to leave no brush or logs in the streams or otherwise disturb them. As to what can be done in respect of the practice of big lumber operators buying up large tracts of timber from which comparatively small sawmills draw their raw material, and insure local employment, is something upon which the commissioner may desire to reflect.

Included in the testimony presented to Mr. Justice Sloan was the case of a Shawinigan concern which recently closed down, throwing several men out of work and eliminating a monthly payroll of \$10,000, because the logs on which it depended are now being shipped to their owner's large plant on the mainland. All this is perfectly legitimate business; but is there to be no room for the small man in the brave new world to which we all look forward—even supposing we replace our rapidly dwindling timber wealth? Perhaps the commissioner will produce a directive when he submits his report.

WISCONSIN GOES DEWEY

WITH MORE THAN TWO-THIRDS OF Wisconsin's 3,076 precincts heard from, as this is written, it would appear that Mr. Wendell L. Willkie's bid for the support of a majority of the state's 24 delegates to the national Republican presidential nominating convention in Chicago this summer has failed badly. Although New York's Governor Thomas E. Dewey had requested his supporters to remove his name from the list of contenders—since he continues to reiterate his intention to finish out his full term at Albany—the tally in Wisconsin so far gives him 15 delegates, with three others claimed; General Douglas MacArthur, three; Lt.-Cmdr. Harold E. Stassen, three; and Mr. Willkie none.

Naturally the supporters of Governor Dewey are elated. Their plan is to "draft" him at the June convention; and it should be noted that in his requests that his name be not included in primary contests he has at no time, so far as we have seen, declared he would not run if the Chicago meeting selected him. To be offered the nomination for President of the United States on a silver platter is the prize plum. Nor does it follow by any means that because one, two, three, or four states do not approve Mr. Willkie's broad international outlook the rest of the country shares the narrow concept of the American role in the postwar world. Wisconsin was about the toughest community the unsuccessful G.O.P. candidate of 1940 could have chosen. In the south he had to meet the isolationism of Colonel McCormick and his Chicago Tribune influence—no mean factor—and in the north and west the popularity of former Minnesota's Governor Harold E. Stassen.

Between now and the G.O.P. national convention in June even the thinking of the delegates selected in Wisconsin yesterday may undergo a very substantial change; but pledged though they are, of course, they are not legally bound to vote for their man, even on the first ballot. What will stand out to Mr. Willkie's credit among those millions in the United States who have turned their backs forever on the old and costly policy of trying to live as a separate entity in an ever-contracting world is the fact that he has told them exactly where he stands and what he believes should be the guiding principle of his party next June. And many remember that the Governor of New York was a slow convert from pre-Pearl Harbor isolationism.

TO FACE SUNSET TOGETHER

MOST PEOPLE WILL APPLAUD THE City Council's action in earmarking approximately \$6,000 for a start on a cottage-home development for Victoria's senior citizens. It is an allocation which carries definite provisions and cannot be spent without greater study of the question by the mayor and aldermen. Many arguments will be presented before concrete action is taken; much, for example, as to the type of construction.

The main point, however, is that the issue is assuming concrete form and those interested can take heart from one particular feature of the council's early deliberations. There appeared to be complete unanimity among the mayor and aldermen over the desirability of providing more suitable accommodation for the old people. Given the will, and it was clearly shown on Monday, it should not be difficult to find the right way.

There has been a growing conviction among those who are interesting themselves in the project in question that old couples should not be forced apart through economic difficulties in their declining years. And it should be safe to predict that when present plans are integrated and construction has been agreed upon, provision will be made for man and wife to face the sunset of life together. This is as it ought to be.

MR. BEVIN'S PLAIN WORDS

ALTHOUGH BRITAIN'S LABOR MINISTER Bevin has got his own way with British workers by a judicious mixture of cajolery and threat, a system which has worked well since emergency legislation gave him wide powers, the tone of the remarks he directed to 80,000 idle Yorkshire coal miners yesterday suggested his deep concern—not only for the safety of the nation on the eve of momentous military events, but also for the welfare of the masses in the more general sense. He described the situation as "worse than if Hitler had bombed Sheffield and cut our communications," and added:

"I can stand with my hand on my heart and say the miners have achieved everything in the last four years that they have fought for since 1912. I think we are entitled, arising out of that, at least to have our lines of communications open and our soldiers supported. We are not going to lose this war. We are not going to have this country let down."

Apart from the obvious alarm which the existing state of affairs is causing himself and the administrative controls he is employing to accelerate the nation's preparations for invasion of continental Europe, Mr. Bevin sees in the attitude of mind manifested by the striking miners a serious threat to the whole system of industrial agreements, arbitration courts, and all the rest of the conciliatory machinery so laboriously and painfully built up in the last three decades. Not only would this constitute a challenge to orderly dealings between employer and employee under ordinary circumstances; it comes at a time when the free world is about to undergo its supreme test.

Nobody will argue that the miner's lot anywhere is a happy one. When he goes down the pit in the morning, often to labor under conditions of which those who work above ground have but the haziest conception, he never knows from one minute to another when some convulsion of nature will snuff out his life. But largely upon his exertions at this stage must depend the lives of hundreds of thousands of men who are being shot at every hour of the day and night by an enemy whose sole object is to kill. And the Nazi fighting man does not recognize union rules and regulations; many at whom he is shooting are paid-up members in the organization to which the striking Yorkshire miners belong. What of their present wage scale and "working" conditions?

IN HIS ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1943, Dr. Richard Felton, the city's medical health officer, draws attention once again to the increasing appreciation shown by young Victoria mothers for the infant and pre-school clinics operated by the municipal department. It is gratifying to know this important service presented by the city is receiving recognition and is helping toward the establishment of a healthier standard for the young people of this community. It is gratifying, too, to realize that public health, as indicated in that particular branch, is receiving wider attention. Only through a sustained interest by the citizens generally will it be possible to raise the level of health. And only through their appreciation for the services rendered and their co-operation in following regulations can the best results be achieved. The trend in Victoria indicates a rolling back of ignorance which has been such a deterrent in combating conditions that menace physical well-being. It is a development in which private physicians have played an important part.

"It is necessary," Dr. Felton notes in his report, "to observe the growing influence of the practicing doctors, who can and do effect so much in the interests of public health, both in the way of vaccinations and inoculations and in educational propaganda. This is particularly true with regard to nutrition, which is a subject much under discussion at the present time."

Such educational work by the medical profession in general does much to increase the confidence placed in them by the public as a whole. It helps to create that enlightened approach to health problems which contributes so much to their solution. It is hoped that this year India will produce enough rubber to satisfy not only her own domestic needs, but those of the British and American forces in India.

James H. Gray

MR. COLDWELL AND CARELS

THE DISCLOSURES which have been made by the United States Department of Justice of the machinations of national and international cartels and monopolies are so serious that Canada cannot ignore them. The efforts of the cartels and monopolies to restrict production and increase prices have enjoyed substantial success and because this is so constitute a serious menace to our economic life. Canada has been caught in the middle between the British and American cartels and, as has been said many times in these columns, it is imperative that the Canadian government revitalize its anti-combines department and get on with the job of smashing the combines.

The leaders of the C.C.F., having stumbled upon the developments in the United States, are now working night and day to turn the disclosures made south of the line to their political advantage. Thus, Mr. Coldwell is now devoting most of his time to making speeches about cartels. There is one point about these speeches which Canadians should keep clearly in mind. Mr. Coldwell has depended almost exclusively for his material upon the work done by the United States department of justice. His speeches are obvious rewrites of speeches made by United States officials. But while Mr. Coldwell borrows heavily from the material provided by the United States officials, he stops abruptly when he reaches the remedies they propose.

WHAT HE SAID

HIS CONCLUSIONS are his own. In his speech on Friday to the Queen's University Alumnae Association is an apt illustration of the Coldwell technique in this regard. In it he uses the existence of cartels as a peg on which to hang an argument for socialization of our economy. Here are Mr. Coldwell's words on the subject:

"The issue of our time is that of public power, responsible to the whole people, against private power exercised by irresponsible financial autocracy. Upon the outcome of the issue hangs the fate of free institutions and whether democracy will go forward in triumphant progress or be utterly defeated for years to come."

"These nation-wide monopolies and world-wide cartels are the inevitable consequence of so-called free enterprise in an advanced state of decline. We believe that no regulatory legislation or mere attempts at trust-busting can end their power. There is only one answer to the challenge they represent and that is social ownership and thus effective control of the industries concerned."

Mr. Coldwell does not tell his listeners that he has parted company completely with the United States officials whose knowledge of cartels and monopolies is far more extensive than his own. They not only believe that our system of free enterprise can be saved but that it should be saved. They are confident that it can be done if a will to survive is coupled with vigorous reforms. They urge, for example, that by overhauling our patent system many of the fangs could be drawn from the cartels. They know they have a big job on their hands, but they regard reform as much more desirable than any alternative like Mr. Coldwell's special brand of socialism.

MONOPOLY PROFITS

MR. COLDWELL'S solution is no solution at all. It would not get rid of the monopoly. It would turn the economy into a complete monopoly, with all the faults of any monopoly but without any of the compensating factors present even under the present set-up. These cartels and monopolies have at least one yardstick by which efficiency can be judged. That is the company balance sheet. The monopolists must make a profit or their monopoly is of no value. In order to operate at a profit these companies, through ability to pay top salaries, have been able to obtain the services of engineers and managers of great skill and competence.

Even the tightest cartel must always be prepared to meet competition from a new field of invention. True, they try to forestall competition, but it is forever creeping in upon them nonetheless. The effect of this is to keep a large body of extremely capable administrators continually on their toes.

NO DEMOCRATIC CONTROL

BUT WHEN THE entire economy is cartelized, as it would be, of course, under the C.C.F., the incentive which competition provides does not exist. In place of the talented administrators of the cartels, and no one can deny that they are men of outstanding ability, the publicly-owned monopolies would be operated by run-of-the-mill bureaucrats, by men who wanted peace and serenity and no trouble. The idea that democratic control would be possible over such a gigantic bureaucracy is preposterous. The Russians for 20 years struggled with the problem of bureaucratic dry-rot without anything like complete success.

In addition, the effect of the C.C.F. theories would be inevitably to retard progress by freezing uneconomic and wasteful industries into the system. While Mr. Coldwell denounces cartels in Ottawa, his comrades in Nova Scotia are trying desperately to manufacture a coal cartel for the rest of Canada. The coming of cheap power to Quebec has cut the market there for Nova Scotia coal. The C.C.F. miners of the Maritimes want that market restored. They want to bar the imports of U.S. coal. They want to force other Canadians to use their higher-priced coal. In this they are being staunchly supported by the Glace Bay Gazette, organ of the United Miner Workers Union and the C.C.F.

Who Owns the North Pole?

By B. T. RICHARDSON

OTTAWA.

THE TURN OF WORLD attention to the Arctic regions is a natural result of aviation development in this war, which promises an era of air traffic in which North Pole areas may ultimately become as familiar to world travelers as settled regions are. The horizon of Canadian policy is extending, to take account of Canada's northern frontiers. Some discussion has arisen, in Ottawa and Washington, over the question of sovereignty of polar regions. But this is, still entirely unofficial, Ottawa sources explain.

Who owns the North Pole? In this simple form, the question is easily answered. No one owns the North Pole. For the Pole is merely a geographical point in the midst of a great inland sea, the Arctic Ocean. This sea is bounded by Canadian and Russian territory for the most part, though United States, Denmark, Norway and Finland have coasts on it, the United States through its Alaskan dependency. Denmark through its Greenland dependency. The Arctic Ocean is nobody's exclusive lake.

'SECTOR PRINCIPLE'

The question of sovereignty in the Arctic was discussed in the Canadian Senate on Feb. 20, 1937, and Hon. P. Poirer advanced the theory which has become known as the "sector principle." It figures in all discussions of northern and southern polar regions. He said: "A country whose possession today goes up to the Arctic regions will have a right, or should have a right, or has a right to all the lands that are to be found in the waters between a line extending from its eastern extremity north. All the lands between the two lines up to the North Pole should belong, and do belong to the country whose territory abuts up there. Now, if we take our geography, it is a simple matter." This is the "sector principle."

Canada has not relied upon this principle, but in other instances the theory has been invoked. It is the basis of a British declaration in 1917, laying claims to all islands and territories in the Falkland Islands sector of the Antarctic. Similarly, it is the basis of British claim to territory in the Ross Dependency sector, issued in 1923. In 1926, the Soviet government relied on the sector principle in claiming all lands lying within the sector north of Russian territory. British regulations governing whaling operations in the Ross sector require whalers entering that sector to obtain a license from the New Zealand government.

NATIONALIZATION OF LAND (From Edmonton Journal)
In a statement on Dec. 7 last, Mr. Coldwell, national leader of the C.C.F., explained the socialism of his party is like that of the British Labor Party. "The C.C.F.," he said, "is a socialist movement in exactly the same manner as the labor parties of the British Commonwealth."

On that same day there was published a cable from London which read as follows: "Acquisition by the state of all agricultural land in Britain as rapidly as possible, with the state to provide for its management, was asked by the Labor Party in a statement of policy for the future use of land and development of agriculture."

Nationalization of land is not a new plank in the platform of the British Labor Party. Just 25 years ago, with 300 candidates in the general election then in progress, the Labor Party campaigned on what was regarded as a platform of thoroughgoing social reorganization. One of the outstanding planks in this platform was "immediate nationalization of all lands."

While the C.C.F. tells Red Deer

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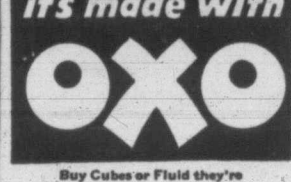
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AU GRATIN (SERVES 4)

2½ cups of any mixed raw vegetables
1 tablespoon butter
1 tablespoon flour
1 OXO Cube or 1 tsp. Fluid OXO
½ cup grated cheese
Salt and pepper
2 tablespoons bread crumbs
1 cup milk

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electors it does not advocate such a policy, the honest Socialists of Britain come right out and demand "acquisition by the state of all agricultural land."

THIS WAR—FOUR YEARS AGO

By the Canadian Press

April 5, 1940—British planes bombed German warships at their Wilhelmshaven base. British and French blockade chiefs mapped new measures to "choke" Germany. Argentina government decided to treat Graf Spee crew as prisoners instead of interned seamen following the escape of five.

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Papers Merge In Revelstoke

REVELSTOKE, B.C. (CP)—Merger of the Revelstoke Review with the Revelstoke Bulletin was announced by the Review Tuesday. Mrs. Mary Sutherland, member of the board of governors of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, has been named business and advertising manager.

J. H. Mohr, formerly in charge of the Review, has retired from active management, but continues as chairman of the board.

A. W. Lundell will be editor of the newspaper. Directors include Mrs. Sutherland, J. H. Mohr, S. T. Cary and A. W. Lundell.

MONTGOMERY 1-A PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Bob Montgomery, holder of the New York and Pennsylvania lightweight boxing championship, said Tuesday he has been classified 1-A by his Selective Service Board and is awaiting a call for his physical examination.

Music...

By IRIS SMALLWOOD

"OLIVET TO CALVARY" The Lenten Passion cantata, "Olivet to Calvary," will be presented Good Friday by two separate church choirs in Victoria.

Under the direction of J. W. Buckler, with Miss Elizabeth Angus at the organ, the Centennial United Church Choir will present as soloists Mrs. S. Sweetnam, Mrs. W. C. Williams, Mrs. D. Pyle, Mrs. A. H. Sheard, Mrs. R. J. Garner, J. Beveridge, E. H. Timbers, E. J. Bonfoy, J. Almonds, S. Swatnam and W. T. Almond.

On the same evening D. W. Phillips will conduct the Oak Bay United Church Choir, augmented, in the same cantata, in which the words and music recall the scenes which mark the last few days of the Saviour's life on earth.

"THE REDEMPTION"

The Metropolitan Church Choir, on the other hand, has chosen "The Redemption" by Gounod for a special Easter week presentation. Under the leadership of Frank Tupman, the cantata will be presented in three parts—the first on Good Friday, parts two and three on Easter Sunday.

Part one includes the Prologue, Creation of Man, the Promise of the Redeemer, the March to Calvary, the Crucifixion, the Darkness of the Earthquake and the Adoration of the Cross.

The second part carries with it the story from the Resurrection to the Ascension, Christ appearing to the Holy Women and to the Apostles, and the Ascension.

Pentecost and the Descent of the Holy Ghost are embodied in part three, which is finally climaxed by the Inspiring Hymn of the Apostles.

Soloists for the "Redemption" will be Mrs. T. H. Johns, Mrs. G. Fleming, Mrs. C. Steele, James Oakman, Dr. T. H. Johns and H. L. Harmsworth, Edward Parsons, organist, and Winifred Milburn, pianist, will provide counter-balance for the vocalists.

Other artists, who were students of Vic High also took part.

Among them were two pianists, Edith Beufelspacher, who opened the program, played two delightful and tuneful pieces; Waltz in A flat major, by Chopin, and "Rustle of Spring," by Sinding. Francis "Sandy" Vic played the ever-popular "Claire de Lune," by Debussy, and the "Introduction and Fugato" by Harris; he also accompanied a minuet, which was danced by Iris Thor-

good, Thelma Whyte, Theo Bayles and Eric Baker. It was the "Minuet" by Paderevski and gave a diversion to the concert.

"Alleluia" and "When April Sings" were sung by Bernice Fawcett, who has a fine soprano voice.

Admission to the concert was 10 cents, the proceeds going to the fund for the Festival Troupe's expenses to Vancouver.

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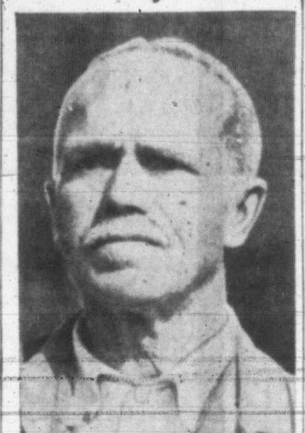
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Gardeners Honor Richard Layritz



RICHARD LAYRITZ

Victoria Horticultural Society, at its April meeting Tuesday, in City Hall, honored Richard Layritz, for more than half a century a prominent horticulturist of Vancouver Island, with an honorary life membership.

Mr. Layritz has made many contributions to gardening in this area and his nurseries on Wilkinson Road, in the Colquitz area, are famous the length of Canada and in many parts of the United States, where he annually ships shrubs and plants to garden lovers.

E. M. Whyte, president of the society, presented Mr. Layritz with the certificate of honorary life membership, thanked him for the help and support he had always given the society, at its shows and meetings, and wished him long life and continuing success.

R. M. Adamson, assistant superintendent of vegetable crops at the Dominion Experimental Station at Seaside, spoke on development of hybrid varieties of corn and other vegetables.

Highlights from his talk: Hybridization, used so far almost entirely for corn development, may lead to changes in other vegetables—hybrid corns ripen at one time, making them valuable for large producers—crossing tomatoes with more fruit stalks has produced a new variety of tomato—Sanich station is now largely devoted to seed production—he cautioned local gardeners against any waste of cabbage, bush bean and beet seeds.

Winners of the monthly competition at the meeting follow: Narcissi, Mrs. Angus McKay and Mrs. R. H. Ludbrook; rhubarb, Mrs. E. S. Michell.

Vic High School Has Musical Program

Miss E. Prisk, a teacher at the school, and R. Kellert, well-known concert violinist, were featured at a concert in the Victoria High School auditorium Tuesday noon. The large audience of students sat enraptured as Mr. Keller played Kreutzer Sonata, op. 47, in A major, by Beethoven, which displayed his excellent fingering and tone qualities. "Legende," by Wieniawski, was a lyrical and mysterious composition which delighted the students. Miss Prisk proved a capable accompanist.

Other artists, who were stu-

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dents of Vic High also took part. Among them were two pianists, Edith Beufelspacher, who opened the program, played two delightful and tuneful pieces; Waltz in A flat major, by Chopin, and "Rustle of Spring," by Sinding. Francis "Sandy" Vic played the ever-popular "Claire de Lune," by Debussy, and the "Introduction and Fugato" by Harris; he also accompanied a minuet, which was danced by Iris Thor-

good, Thelma Whyte, Theo Bayles and Eric Baker. It was the "Minuet" by Paderevski and gave a diversion to the concert.

"Alleluia" and "When April Sings" were sung by Bernice Fawcett, who has a fine soprano voice.

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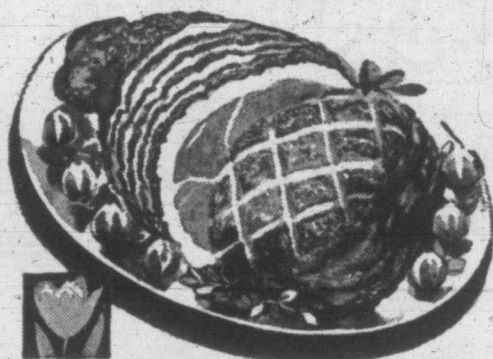
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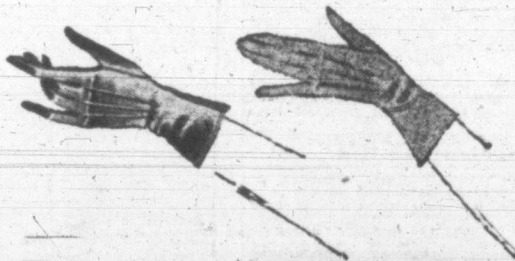
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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

NEW WESTMINSTER Lode-stars drop one game to Port Arthur Shipbuilders and Victoria fans want to know what is wrong with the British Columbia hockey champions. After all, the club has been on the road for several weeks and that is only the second defeat it has suffered in transit.

Result of tonight's third engagement will be a better indication of just how the series will ultimately end. Should Port Arthur come up with another one-sided triumph, then one can figure the Lodestars are due to be shunted to the sidelines. On the other hand if the New Westminster squad squares matters it stands just as good a chance as ever to hit the national final.

I certainly don't think the Lodestars should be counted out just because of one defeat. After all, the team has done a lot of traveling and is playing on strange ice and must be given a little time to become acclimatized. Shipbuilders are certainly not five goals better than the coast club, and those four straight goals in the last period are easily explained. Down 2 to 1 going into the final 20 minutes of play, the New Westminster boys went all out on the offense to either tie the score or be beaten by a worse margin.

Chatted today to Jack Beveridge, genial secretary of the Uplands Golf Club, and was pleased to hear his club is thriving despite present trying conditions. "We have over 400 members and they are all active," Jack told me. "Of that number there is not one single non-playing member and

Strong Teams Enter Two-Ball Foursomes

Golfers intending to participate in the two-ball best-ball foursomes at the Victoria Golf Club Good Friday are reminded that the entry list closes tonight, with the draw to be made at 7.30.

Walter Newcombe, one of the sponsors of the event, announced today that a good entry list had already been received, with

the total includes 135 women who all take an active part in the operation of the club."

Uplands has been fortunate in having taken into its membership a number of retired prairie people who have shown a willingness to give their time in the interest of the club. "Then, again, we have the advantage of operating without a mortgage hanging around our necks," Beveridge remarked. With many clubs throughout Canada and the United States sorely pressed to continue operating through depletion of membership, owing to the war, it is good news to hear of a club that can report progress.

Looking over the probable starting lineup of the Seattle Rainiers for their first game in the new Coast League schedule Saturday against San Diego, one is struck by the number of new faces. Here's the 1944 edition: Billy Lyman, 2b; Roy Johnson, 1b; Bill Krueger, 3b; Joe Dobbins, ss; Lloyd Christopher, cf; Connie Creedon, rf; Hal Seume, c; Stan Gray, lb.

Of that lineup only Dobbins, Christopher and Seume are regulars returned from last season. The starting pitcher is likely to be Carl Fisher or Joe Demoran, both with the 1943 squad. In pitchers the Rainiers appear to be just about the strongest club in the circuit but Manager Bill Skiff is liable to have plenty of worry before he whips the remainder of his team into shape. There's an awful lot of new material in important spots.

teams coming from Vancouver and Nanaimo. One of the strongest contending teams in the competition is expected to be the combination of Bill Newcombe and Eddie Horsman. These two participate every year in the big two-ball competition in Vancouver and have done well each time.

Another strong team will be Capt. Jimmy Bell, present city champion, and Walter Newcombe. Uplands Club will be represented by the partnership of Gordon Verley and Bob Watson. To the winner will go the Vancouver Island handicap championship. Handicaps will be three-quarters of the lowest handicapped player on the team. Members of the armed services are eligible to compete in the event.

Kayo for Davis
NEW YORK (AP) — Al (Bummy) Davis, one-round knockout of lightweight champion Bob Montgomery six weeks ago, scored a six-round technical kayo over Oscar Suggs, New Bedford, Mass., in the feature bout at the Broadway Arena Tuesday night before a capacity crowd of 4,000.

Suggs, weighing 147½ pounds to 142½ for the Brooklyn clouter, cut Davis' left eye in the fifth round, but was unable to match Davis' punching power. Suggs was unable to continue after 12 seconds of the sixth.

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Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS

TORONTO (CP) — Champions never quit trying, but it looks as though the R.C.A.F. Patricia Bay Gremlins from Victoria need more than the old college try to take them to the Canadian senior men's basketball title again this year. Gremlins, last year's champions, rolled to the British Columbia title in easy fashion this year, but have run into the service ban on intersectional play that may wreck their chances.

Members of the team have been refused travel permits to journey east for the finals if they capture the western "title," but even that didn't discourage them. They even tried for furloughs to make the trip on their own time.

By downing Regina Commandos in what was virtually a double best-in-five series, the Trail Smoke Eaters juniors look to be a worthy successor to their big brothers of 1938, the Trail Smoke Eaters seniors who won the Allan Cup that year. The senior Smoke Eaters brought British Columbia its second senior championship in history, and the baby version is aiming for the coast's first win in Memorial Cup play.

They still have a long way to go, though, with Port Arthur and the eastern champions still in the way. By the same token, they have a tough job to equal the senior Smoke Eaters' record of 51 straight victories set in Canada and Europe from Dec. 7, 1938, to March 15, 1939.

JUVENILE SOCCER
Jack Christie, secretary of the Ontario Minor Hockey Association, writes in to explain the junior-junior set-up which allows players to switch from one age class to the other and back again in the same season. His point, well-taken, it might be added, is that the ruling approved last fall prevents junior teams from raiding a minor team and wrecking its chances, as was the case previously when a juvenile moving upwards was automatically ineligible for the youngster series. Now a boy can play junior and juvenile throughout the year, and midget and bantam also if he is young enough. It's a good idea, but still confusing to the fans!

VICTORIA CITY defeated the Combines 3 to 2 Tuesday to clinch the championship of division four of the juvenile soccer league.

CITY players are asked to be at the C.P.R. dock at 9.30 Friday night to board the boat for Vancouver where the team will seek the B.C. championship Saturday.

HORNSBY RESIGNS
MEXICO CITY (AP) — Rogers Hornsby, who came here two months ago as manager of the Vera Cruz club in the Mexico Baseball League, said Tuesday night he had resigned.

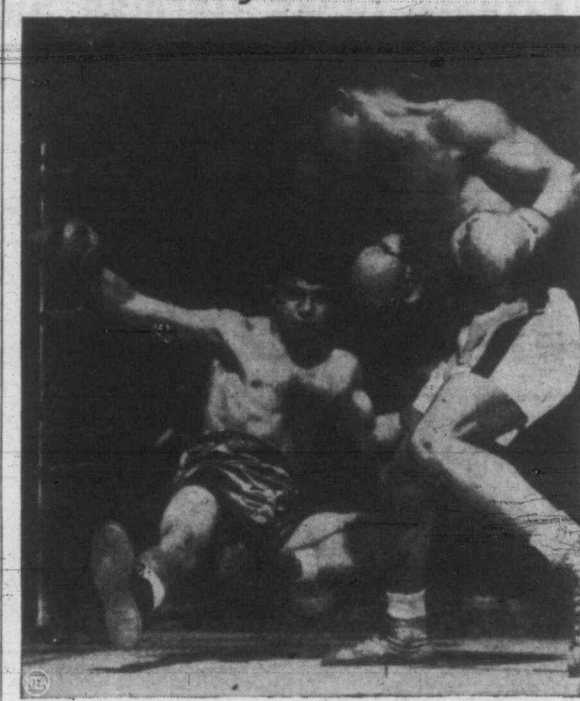
Record Entry For King's Plate
West Well Represented

TORONTO (CP) — Fifty-six horses, including most of the outstanding Canadian-bred two-year-olds of last year, have been nominated for the 85th running of the King's Plate—Canada's premier racing classic—at Toronto's Woodbine Park, May 27. In releasing the list today Major Palmer Wright, secretary-treasurer of the Ontario Jockey Club, said the entry is the largest on record and compares to 45 nominations last year.

Owners of former King's Plate winners, who were among the nominators, are: H. Giddings, C. Hemstead, C. George McCullagh, Col. R. S. McLaughlin, H. C. Hatch and J. E. F. Seagram. The historic race—oldest continuously-run stake of North American thoroughbred racing—will be open this year to all three-year-olds foaled in Canada. From the time of the first running in 1860 the King's Plate had been restricted to horses foaled in Ontario.

Last January the club decided to increase the stake \$2,000 to \$10,000, making this year's purse worth approximately \$13,000 to the winner of the one mile and one furlong route. On top of the \$10,000 added by the club, the King annually gives 50 guineas to the winner. Last year, Charlie Hemstead's Paolita, black filly, won the Plate. Nominates six Hemstead, whose home is at Markham, Ont., leads the list of nominators for the 85th event with six. Col. McLaughlin, owner of the Parkwood Stable, Oshawa, Ont., and James G. Fair of Gainsville, Ont., each have four. Those with two or more nominations are: H. C. Hatch, Toronto, three, and Whittier Park Stock Farm, Winnipeg; J. Diamond, Vancouver; Riverdale Stable, Toronto; C. C. McCullagh, Toronto; J. E. Seagram, Water-

Knocked Kicking



Tagged by Clayton Johnson's left, Johnny Rosato sails through air in first round of 118-pound championship contest in east-west amateur show before 18,630 fans at Madison Square Garden. Sioux City Negro twice floored Camp Mackall, N.C., paratrooper to win decision.

Trail Smokies Roll Along Beat Ports In Overtime

WINNIPEG (CP) — Driving power and determination of Trail Smoke Eaters put them up in the western Canada junior hockey best-of-five finals against Port Arthur Flyers.

Smoke Eaters, who appear to do their best when handicapped, came from behind a two-goal deficit Tuesday night to deadlock the first game 2 to 2 with less than two minutes of regulation time remaining, and went on to win 4 to 2 in overtime.

Eddie Miller, a former Winnipeg boy, and Jake McLeod slammed the disc into the Flyers' net from goalmouth scrambles for victory in the first six minutes of overtime.

Winger Roy Kelly got the two earlier Trail counters after defenseman Calum and Jack Marshall had pushed Flyers ahead in the first three minutes of play. Smoke Eaters, heading for the first western junior crown for British Columbia, were disorganized and slow in the first 10 minutes. Then the defence tightened and Flyers generally were forced to shoot from well out with goalkeeper Bev Bentley turning in a smart performance in the final 67 minutes.

CAN DO BETTER
Coach Gerry Thompson said the victory came despite his players suffering colds they picked up since their prairie jaunt. "The boys were not skating with any speed. We can do better than that."

While Smoke Eaters did not play their usual game, Thompson was not predicting a final victory for his team. Likewise, Coach Eddie Lauzon of Flyers looks for a close, tough series.

The loss ended Flyers victory string of three games while Trail increased their wins to eight in 10 play-offs.

Trail had won a double semi-final series against Regina Commandos, having three wins in the initial series disallowed for using an overage player and then winning three in a row to get into the western finals.

Winner of the present series will meet either Oshawa Generals or Montreal Royals for the Memorial Cup now held by Winnipeg Rangers.

SUMMARY
First period—1, Port Arthur, McKay, 1.28; 2, Port Arthur, Marshall (McKay), 2.40; 3, Trail, Kelly (Butter), 10.37. Penalty: Marshall.

Second period—Scoring, none. Penalty: Depaolis.

Third period—4, Trail, Kelly, 18.22. Penalty: Hyrmanak.

Overtime period—5, Trail, Miller, 2.25; 6, Trail, J. McLeod, 5.52. Penalties: None.

Select Soccer Team For Intercity Match

Victoria soccer officials Tuesday night selected the players to go up against North Shore, strong Mainland League eleven, in Good Friday's intercity match at the Athletic Park, starting at 2.30.

The local squad will be chosen from the following players: Stewardson, Brodie, Lee, Hunt, Moss, Kennedy, Griffiths, Shaw, Speller, Sinclair, McCann, Reside, Parkinson, Morgan and J. Robbins. Joe Watt will be boss of the local team.

Number of V.M.D. players were nominated for positions but could not accept owing to the fact they will be working Friday.

Saturday afternoon the R.C.A.F. will oppose the Army at Athletic Park at 2.30 in a cup match. Paul King will referee. Monday afternoon the V.M.D. will tackle the All-Stars in an exhibition game at 2.30.

Daily Double Pays \$2,917 at Meadows

SAN MATEO, Calif. (AP) — Bay Meadows track paid off its largest daily double of the current racing season Tuesday when holders of the lucky \$2 tickets were rewarded with \$2,917.90.

The winning horses were Glenzie, owned by J. J. Sheedy of San Ysidro, Calif., and Treachery, owned by Sam Kriger of San Francisco. Hughie Thoms of Santa Rosa was up on Glenzie which paid off at \$205.90. George Pederson of Rowley, Iowa, rode Treachery which returned \$13.90.

The two jockeys are apprentices.

Results follow:
First race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Glenzie (Dye) — \$16.40 \$6.50 \$3.40
Firing VI (Adams) — 2.80 2.40
Action (Pickens) — 2.40
Time, 1:13.4. Also ran: Fastigue, War Valley, previous owner, Liberty Boy, Little Lady, Frano River, Beata Thoms.

Second race—Six furlongs:
Glenzie (McGowan) — \$14.00 \$4.00
Sage Actor (McGowan) — 6.20 2.80
Action (Pickens) — 2.40
Time, 1:14.4. Also ran: Stunt Heated, Woodcock (Thoms), Top Dog, Tiger, Cinder Maid, Mo's Glory, Charming One, Miss Westie, Sierra Maid.

Third race—Six furlongs:
Treachery (Pederson) — \$13.90 \$3.90 \$2.90
Ed Jay (McGowan) — 14.00 2.80
Dor Day (Thoms) — 3.80 2.50
Time, 1:13.4. Also ran: Congressman, Patronymic, Valley Boy, Tuxedo Boy.

Fourth race—Six furlongs:
Molasses (Dye) — \$12.80 \$11.30 \$4.20
Pala Squaw (Thoms) — 4.20 2.60
Jag (Dye) — 2.40
Time, 1:12.3. Also ran: Scutterm, Bras Kitch, Little Kinom.

Fifth race—Six furlongs:
Echo Pass (Johnson) — \$5.60 \$3.20 \$2.20
Dor Day (Thoms) — 3.80 2.50
Bonita (Adkins) — 2.40
Time, 1:14.5. Also ran: Sir Dine, Cracked, Way Off, Too Blue, Happy Eva, Seventh race—Six furlongs:
High Resolve (Lonsdale) — \$3.80 \$3.20 \$2.40
Six Tris (Pederson) — 5.00 2.90
Valley Place (Winn) — 2.40
Time, 1:12.4. Also ran: Lost a Hat, Red Cat, Boston Maid, Seaton, Valinda Cook.

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Chase Lad (Crabtree) — \$6.50 \$4.50 \$3.50
Bry Sweep (Thoms) — 8.50 2.70
Just One (Crabtree) — 6.00
Time, 1:48. Also ran: Gayland, Catch question, Patan, Pinesaway, Mission Step.

Canadiens Outspeed Hawks for Easy Win

Second String Forward Line Outstanding

MONTREAL (CP) — Montreal Canadiens and Chicago Black Hawks moved on to Chicago today to resume their Stanley Cup final series there Thursday night with Canadiens one game up in the best-of-seven series.

The Canucks Tuesday night swept to a 5 to 1 victory in the opener of the first final series between the two teams in 13 years. The next two games will be in Chicago, with the series to be concluded here.

The Chamberlain-Watson-Gettiffe line emerged as the stars of the game. They backchecked, did much to slow up the Hawks with their heavy bumping, and bagged four of the five Canadian goals.

Most of the time, too, they were on against the starry Chicago line of Clint Smith, Bill Mosienko and Doug Bentley, and they stopped that line cold on all but one occasion. Smith bagged the only Hawk goal on a three-way play in the second period, while Canadiens were a man short.

Canadiens were two up at the time, and they recovered the lone Chicago goal 47 seconds later, adding a couple more in the third for good measure as the Hawks weakened.

Gettiffe got two of the goals, one on an unassisted effort near the end of the game, the other on a combination play with Heffernan and O'Connor. Watson set up the play for Chamberlain's counter with a perfect passout from behind the Chicago net, and started Canadiens off on the victory trail with an unassisted effort in the first period.

Toe Blake collected the other Canadian goal early in the second period on a typical play of Canadiens' first line, with Elmer Lach and Maurice Richard setting him up close in on Mike Karakas.

SUMMARY
First period—1, Montreal, Watson 8.37. Penalties: Cooper, Chamberlain.
Second period—2, Montreal, Blake (Lach, Richard), 6.35; 3, Chicago, Smith (Bentley, Mosienko), 10.11; 4, Montreal, Gettiffe (Heffernan, O'Connor), 10.58. Penalties: McMahon, Cooper, Richard.
Third period—5, Montreal, Chamberlain (Watson, Boucard), 4.47; 6, Montreal, Gettiffe, 18.07. Penalty: McMahon.

Port Arthur Rule Favorites Over Lodestars Tonight

PORT ARTHUR (CP) — Port Arthur Shipbuilders were favored tonight to increase their lead over New Westminster Lodestars in the western Canada senior hockey best-of-seven series. Port Arthur lead 1 to 0 with one game tied.

Shipbuilders' stock went up after they trounced the British Columbia champions 6 to 1 Monday night, but coach Frank Doten and his players believed they had merely got a bad game out of their system.

Nevertheless, Doten gave his charges pep talks Tuesday, stating they must increase their speed to block the Thunder Bay champions.

Coach Hughie O'Leary had worked for two weeks or more building up reserve "strength" of his players. In the second game of the Port Arthur players had second wind enough to blast three goals in the final minutes of play.

Port Arthur will likely stick with the same line-up but Lodestars will have Doten back. Doten missed the second game because of a sore back. He centres wingers Pete Leswick and Buster Brayshaw.

Veteran Angott Wins

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sammy Angott, former N.B.A. lightweight champion, Tuesday night pounded out a 10-round decision over Aaron Perry, 18-year-old Washington hopeful hailed as the future fistic great.

Angott of Washington, Pa., weighed 141½, half a pound less than Perry.

Perry, who has a deadly right hand punch and a stingy left, was obviously over-matched. A professional fighter for only eight months, he was out-maneuvred and out-smarted throughout. Angott relied on a vicious body attack most of the way.

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KEATINGE-OLD WEST ROAD	No Service
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'Waskesiu' Honors Lake Resort North Of Prince Albert

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister King Tuesday night sent a telegram to Mayor George E. Brock of Prince Albert, Sask., his own constituency—informed him of the exploit of the Victoria-built frigate Waskesiu in sinking an enemy submarine in the north Atlantic.

(The ship is named after Lake Waskesiu in Prince Albert National Park, about 50 miles north of Prince Albert, and has been "adopted" by its citizens.)

Mr. King said he was "delighted" to convey to Mr. Brock and to citizens of Prince Albert the news of this "brilliant exploit" of the first frigate ever to be built in a Canadian shipyard, in which the people of Prince Albert have such a deep interest. Text of the message follows: The Department of Naval Ser-

vices is announcing tonight that the frigate H.M.C.S. Waskesiu, while engaged recently on escort duty in the north Atlantic, after carrying out a series of attacks with depth charges, destroyed a U-boat which was attempting to attack a valuable convoy. Survivors of the enemy ship were subsequently made prisoners of war.

I am delighted to have the opportunity to convey to you and through you to the citizens of Prince Albert and to others who have such a deep interest in the welfare of H.M.C.S. Waskesiu and her crew, the news of this brilliant exploit of the first frigate ever to be built in a Canadian shipyard, and the first Canadian frigate to sink a German submarine.

All will, I know, join with me in warmest congratulations to Cmdr. Fraser, his officers and men, who have brought so much honor to the name of Waskesiu and for the contribution made by them to the defeat of enemy forces at sea.

Victoria Built Frigate Sinks German Submarine

OTTAWA (CP)—Nineteen days after leaving a fitting-out berth as the first Canadian-built frigate, H.M.C.S. Waskesiu—pronounced "Was-ka-sue"—recently destroyed a German U-boat in the North Atlantic and brought back 19 survivors as evidence, the navy announced Tuesday night.

(Built at Yarrow's, the Waskesiu was commissioned at Esquimalt, and carried in the crew many B.C. officers and ratings.) Depth charges wounded the sub and forced it to the surface, where a dead-eye gun crew shot away the conning tower, cutting off the U-boat gunners from their weapon. Germans who survived the withering fire plunged into the sea to be picked up by the frigate and her sister-ship of the Royal Navy, H.M.S. Nene.

Fifteen minutes after the sub had been forced to the surface the shattered raider tipped up almost vertically and disappeared. A convoy proceeded undisturbed.

The Waskesiu's captain—Lt. Cmdr. Philip Fraser of Halifax—told of the surface action that followed the depth charge blossoms:

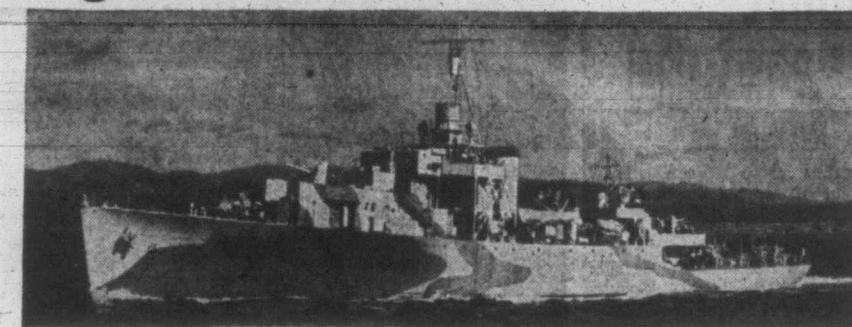
"It surfaced at a good rate of speed—about 3,800 yards away, and almost dead ahead. We illuminated it immediately with star shells and searchlights.

"Then we opened up with everything we had. The range had closed to about 1,400 yards. It was wonderful gunnery. Our number one Oerlikon gun never wasted a cartridge; they were all dead on the conning tower. When the sub came into position, number two Oerlikon picked it up and blasted it. A bunch of Germans who piled out of the conning tower were swept off. They never had a chance to reach their guns.

4-INCH GUNS PERFECT
"Our four-inch guns were perfect. They had four hits in the conning tower, each scoring a bull's-eye."

Waskesiu then tried to close for ramming, but the U-boat was inside her turning circle. Searchlights from the Nene, which had come up during the action, revealed a few survivors thrashing in the water. The Waskesiu picked up four members of the U-boat's crew. The Nene rescued 15, including one officer, who later were transferred to the Waskesiu.

When the action was over, the Waskesiu lowered one of her whalers in an effort to rescue other Germans, but because of a rising sea and strong drift, the attempt had to be abandoned. When the German prisoners



H.M.C.S. Waskesiu, built, commissioned at Esquimalt.



Waskesiu's petty officers, left to right: E. H. Wood, W. H. Goudie and A. L. Grover, all of Victoria; A. S. Smith, Selista, A. W. Courtney, Gerald Leahy and G. W. Turner, all of Vancouver.



LT.-CMDR. J. P. FRASER, Halifax.



LIEUT. ED. WILLIAMS, Victoria.



LIEUT. GEORGE MANSON, Vancouver.



LIEUT. F. J. RENNIE, Victoria.



LIEUT. J. E. HOLMS, Victoria.

were taken on board they cringed like men who expected blows, said a naval release.

But "the prisoners were no sooner on board than my men were brushing the wet hair out of their eyes, helping them off with their wet clothes and wrapped them in blankets," said a Canadian officer.

"After that the crew became quite friendly with the Germans, and we were astounded one night to have one of the men make an appeal to have the prisoners allowed to go down on the mess deck and listen to the radio."

Only one prisoner was a rabid Nazi, and he kept repeating "England Kaput" (finished). The average age was 22, and the oldest was 26, only one was a volunteer. All had the impression Canadians were either cowboys or Indians.

First lieutenant in Waskesiu was Lieut. John Lincoln, Calgary. Other officers included: Lieut. Jack Holms, Victoria; Lieut. Edward Williams, Victoria; Lieut. George Manson, Vancouver; Lieut. J. F. Rennie, Victoria; Lieut. Peter Nares, Winnipeg; Surgeon Lieut. Ronald H. McFarlane, and Sub-Lt. Norman Irvine, both of Winnipeg.

If there were any "stars" in the grim game which the Waskesiu played and won they were the members of her No. 1 and No. 2 gun crews. On the No. 2 gun was AB. William Knox, Calgary.

VICTORIAN SPECTATOR
Another Victorian, Lt. Cmdr. Martin Ellis was aboard the Nene which stood by and picked up 15 German survivors of the U-boat.

"We were just spectators in that one," says Lt. Cmdr. Ellis. "We just tidied up a bit after Waskesiu polished it off. And a very nice job she did of it, too."

Lieut. Frederick James Rennie, R.C.N.R., of Victoria, 48-year-old engineer officer in H.M.C.S. Waskesiu, broke two of his own records when the gallant little frigate knocked out her sub. He won three games of solitaire in a row and ate two large bars of chocolate during the action.

"They're both unique feats for me," says the chief. "I never ate more than half a chocolate bar at one time before, and I almost never win playing solitaire. I guess I must have been excited."

Affectionately called "Popeye" by his shipmates, Rennie was sleeping when "Action Stations" sounded. He bounded out of his bunk and scrambled for the engine room. A quick check-up showed him that it was running like a Swiss watch, so he made his way back to the wardroom and started playing solitaire.

"Depth charges were popping off now and then," says the chief, "but I thought it was just another one of those things. I wasn't going to get excited until the sub was on the surface."

He persisted at his cards and won three quick games in succession and munched his way through two large chocolate bars,

thus smashing his own record in skill and consumption. "Depth charges were still being dropped," says the chief, "but they didn't bother me very much except that they were

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shaking the ship around a bit. Then I heard the forward gun firing and I knew we were in for trouble. I made for the deck as fast as I could go."

ALL GUNS FIRING

On the upper deck, Rennie found the battle in full swing. All the guns on Waskesiu which could be brought to bear were smashing at the U-boat; men were shouting; star shells were bursting. But never once did the chief spot the sub; the action had been too fast; spectators who missed the "kick-off" saw none of the game.

"They tell me we sank a sub," the chief says now, dolefully, "but I never saw it! I saw the gunfire, of course, but it was so dark that I never did get a look at the Jerry. I keep Waskesiu going month in and month out, and then when we do see action, I don't even get a peek at the U-boat. What decoration do you get for winning three games of solitaire in a row and eating two bars of chocolate during a submarine action?"

Lieut. Rennie was born in Liverpool, England, and served in the Great War with the 20th King's Liverpool Regiment in France from Nov. 10, 1914, until July 30, 1916. On the latter date, he returned to England and from then until the end of the war worked on navy and merchant ship repairs. He came to Canada in 1925, served in the merchant marine for four years and went from there to Maracaibo, South America, for 11 years. He joined the Royal Canadian Navy on Feb. 28, 1942. Waskesiu is his fifth ship, and this is his first action.

Seek Arbitration On Firemen's Pay

A decision to ask government arbitration on a wage dispute between Oak Bay firemen and their council was made last night by Local 730, International Association of Fire Fighters.

The dispute arose when the council recently informed the firemen it was prepared to grant an increase of the men's monthly

Doesn't Want Money

LONDON (CP)—While painters and art dealers are cashing in on the wartime boom in pictures, Sir Frank Brangwyn, R.A., one of Britain's greatest artists of all time, is giving away his masterpieces because "money isn't of much use." So far the total worth of the pictures he has distributed gratis has been estimated at \$500,000.

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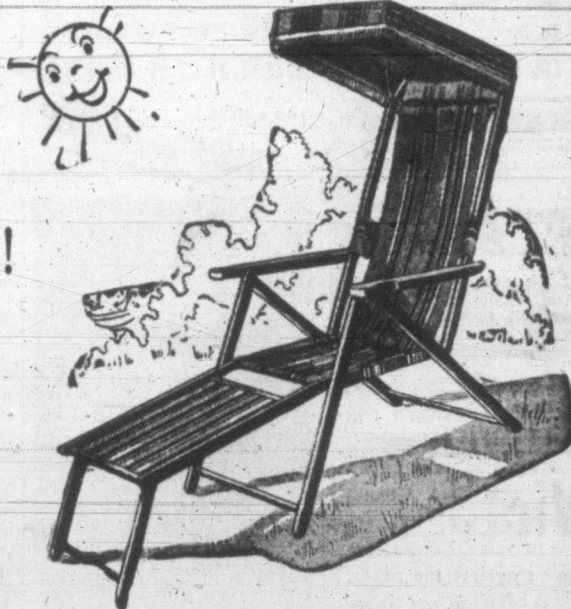
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Announcements

BIRTHS

CROSS—To Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Cross, 300 Linden Avenue, a son, John F. Cross, April 3, 1944, a daughter.

LIVELY—To Mr. and Mrs. Janet Lively, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, April 3, 1944, a daughter, a daughter.

(Vancouver papers please copy.)

DEATHS

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LUCKOVICH—The funeral service for the late Mr. Anton Luckovich of Shawigan, B.C., will be held on Monday, April 10, 1944, at 10 a.m., at St. Francis Xavier Church at Mill Bay. Davis Funeral Home has charge of arrangements.

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CAMERON SOCIAL CLUB Another of those enjoyable Cameron's Dances, Wednesday, April 5, A.O.F. Hall, 9:15 to 1:00. Chas. H. Cameron, orchestra. This time 50c and proceeds to the Solarium. Remember the fun at last year's free dance! 9:10-6:01.

CLOVERDALE FAIR—APRIL 5, LAKE Hill Community Hall, No. 470, No. 1001, 10:00 to 1:00.

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Protestants Protest MacInnis Move As Free Speech Menace

A meeting which packed Central Baptist Church Tuesday evening, under auspices of Victoria branch, Canadian Protestant League, unanimously passed a resolution protesting the amendment proposed by Angus MacInnis, C.C.F. member of the House of Commons for Vancouver East, which would make it illegal for anyone to make a statement tending to create disharmony or unrest.

Text of the resolution was wired immediately to Prime Minister Mackenzie King and copies will be sent to R. W. Mayhew, M.P., Capt. Alan Chambers, M.P., and A. W. Neil, M.P.

The resolution follows: "We, Canadian citizens, assembled in mass meeting in Victoria, understanding the proposed amendment to the Criminal Code to imply a direct curtailment of the British liberties of conscience, of speech and of the press, do, by standing vote, pledge ourselves to vindicate these liberties as the inalienable rights of the people, and express our most vigorous protest against this or any such proposed anti-Canadian, anti-British and anti-democratic legislation; and beg of you to do all in your power to prevent passage of same."

Rev. J. B. Rowell, president of the local branch of the Canadian Protestant League, presided. He said the league is not opposing the amendment from a political viewpoint.

FOR JUSTICE
"We do not think for a moment it will pass, but it indicates something that is working in the minds of certain people," he said. "We are opposed as anyone to any mischief-making—to any deliberate attempt to sabotage the war effort, and to any dissent which would tend to disunite the people of Canada. We stand for justice for every citizen, whether we agree with it or not."

Rev. H. L. Hopkins of Oaklands Gospel Hall traced the fight the people of Great Britain had made through the years of liberty. He said people from Britain understand what is meant by the words British liberty, but those born in Canada may not know exactly what they mean.

"We have a responsibility to maintain that liberty and hand it down to the rising generation—it is our just right to hand on this heritage," he said, adding that the amendment has a hint of some sinister underground movement.

WORTH DYING FOR
Rev. F. M. Landis of Christian Missionary Alliance said freedom of speech and freedom of the press are things to stand for and fight for, and, if necessary, to die for.

"We must reserve freedom of speech and freedom of the press, so that evils may be corrected," he said. "Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty, and we must be ever vigilant."

Rev. T. H. McAllister of Gorge Presbyterian Church said one of the greatest things that has contributed to the greatness of the British race is that British people have long enjoyed the freedom and the blessing of controversy, which, he said, means discussion. Hyde Park, in London; Glasgow Green and Edinburgh Mound, he said, are open forums, where men are free to express their beliefs and exchange their ideas. He said he believes freedom of controversy in Britain is one of the facts that has contributed to the unity of Britain.

"We must stand for that freedom of speech which I call freedom of controversy and dispute," he said.

Where to Go Tonight

ATLAS—Bette Davis and Miriam Hopkins in "Old Acquaintance."

CADET—"Frankenstein Meets the Wolf Man," starring Bela Lugosi.

CAPITOL—Paulette Goddard and Fred MacMurray in "Standing Room Only."

DOMINION—Jackie Cooper and Gale Storm in "Where Are Your Children?"

OAK BAY AND PLAZA—"Texas to Tokyo," starring Richard Quine and Anne Gwynne.

RIO—Teresa Wright and Joseph Cotten in "Shadow of a Doubt."

YORK—"School for Husbands," starring Rex Harrison and Diana Churchill.

and arranged that the religious body is seeing to it that a state body will impose its wishes on us," he said. "We are not going to be dictated to, religiously, by Rome or by London, or any other place. The Baptist Church has always stood for religious liberty. If this bill passes and becomes law they had better start building more jails and enlarging what they have."

Rev. Percy Wills of Shantyment's Christian Association, said "No government and no church will run smoothly unless it welcomes criticism of well-meaning people." He said the matter is a racial and religious one and that someone is trying to build around themselves a wall of protection; that a principle cannot be dealt with unless the persons or bodies who dispense such principles are also dealt with.

DEMAND RIGHT
Rev. William Allan of Fairfield United Church said people of Britain had had to flee to Holland and America, and hide in dens and caves for religious liberty. The amendment, he said, would take away freedom of expression and religion.

"As British democrats we demand for ourselves and our neighbors the right to criticize any person or any circumstance honestly, courteously, and humbly in the name of Jesus Christ," he said. "We believe, as Christians, we have the definite obligation to witness for Christ."

RIO THEATRE
Joseph Cotten and Teresa Wright, most distinguished of Hollywood's newer stars, are effectively teamed in Alfred Hitchcock's "Shadow of a Doubt." The Universal picture was produced by Jack H. Skirball and is now being shown at the Rio Theatre.

CADET THEATRE
Conceiving and creating the monster in "Frankenstein Meets the Wolf Man," the Universal horror picture now at the Cadet Theatre, required a half year of tedious research and laboratory work.

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Dona, who not so long ago was conducting her own band under the name of Rio Rita, does some straight emoting in "Let's Face It," as the sweetheart of one of Bob's buddies. The curvaceous cutie is in good company, sharing celluloid honors with Bob's co-star, Betty Hutton, as well as with Cully Richards, Eve Arden, Zasu Pitts, Marjorie Weaver and Raymond Walburn.

'No Time for Love' Feature at Atlas

In Paramount's romantic comedy, "No Time for Love," starring Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray, and due tomorrow at the Atlas Theatre, Paul McGrath plays the publisher of a pictorial magazine for which Claudette works as an expert photographer.

McGrath's screen appearance as the owner of a publication repeats in a sense the characterization of his most recent stage success, "Lady in the Dark," with Gertrude Lawrence, in which he originated the publisher part.

The actor's first motion picture work was done under the Paramount banner in a film called "Parole Fixer."

DOMINION THEATRE

While a high school student in Houston, Tex., a few years ago, Gale Storm took part in an inter-scholastic competition, and was awarded first prize as the city's best feminine actress of her years. Miss Storm is seen on the screen of the Dominion Theatre in "Where Are Your Children?" the absorbing Monogram drama of juvenile delinquency, which stars Jackie Cooper.

OAK BAY AND PLAZA THEATRES

Anne Gwynne, glamorous daughter of the Lone Star State and one of Hollywood's most attractive players, is featured in "Texas to Tokyo," the Walter Wanger production based on the mighty contribution of Texas A. & M. College in the nation's war effort, now being shown at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres.

CAPITOL THEATRE

A special Paramount police squad was assigned to guard the set of "Standing Room Only" during the production of this picture, which is currently at the Capitol Theatre.

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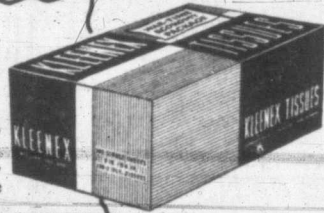
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(From a letter by W. T.)

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Canada Increases Greek Food Supplies

OTTAWA (CP)—Prime Minister King announced it has been decided to increase food allotments to Nazi-occupied Greece to 31,260 tons monthly—an increase

of 11,000 tons a month—and to add 2,000 tons of sugar for this year. Shipments during January and February were 20,200 tons a month plus 2,000 tons of rice. The increase will be made up of an additional 9,000 tons of wheat

and another 2,000 tons of pulse. Mr. King said the Swedish government has offered to make three additional ships available to carry the additional supplies. The present fleet numbers 10 ships under charter to the Swedish Red Cross.

Public Ownership Approved At Hart-Municipal Meeting

Public ownership of public utilities in B.C. is in the public interest, Premier John Hart and representatives of cities and municipalities decided Tuesday at a meeting in the Parliament Buildings, called to discuss possible municipal purchase of the assets and services of the B.C. Electric.

Neither Mayor McGavin nor Mayor Cornett of Vancouver would discuss the meeting beyond saying it was most harmonious. Both agreed with a press statement later issued by Premier Hart.

WHOLE PROVINCE

This statement said representatives of the cities and municipalities stated that these bodies are prepared to participate in a scheme of public ownership, adding that this scheme would apply not only to areas served by the B.C. Electric, but would cover the province as a whole.

"With regard to valuation of the assets of public utilities, it was agreed that there should be a common approach to this problem by the government and the municipalities, as the interests of both are the same," said the statement from Mr. Hart's office. "Further meetings between the representatives of the municipalities and the Premier will be held. Considerable progress was made at the conference and a common ground was reached for further development of a program of public ownership of

public utilities in this province." Questions with regard to provision of transportation in urban municipalities, particularly Victoria and Vancouver, were discussed, as was also the problem of the gas utilities in these cities. The cities and municipalities, the statement said, are giving further consideration to these problems. On the whole question of finances it was agreed that these would be worked out in due course, on a basis mutually agreeable to all parties. The representatives of the municipalities will report to the larger municipal body which was formed recently to deal with the possible B.C. Electric purchase.

AT MEETING

Those meeting Premier Hart, in addition to Mayors McGavin and Cornett, were Mayor V. B. Harrison, Nanaimo, president of the Union of B.C. Municipalities; Mayor W. C. Hamilton, Port Alberni; Mayor W. M. Mott, New Westminster; Reeve Pat Field, West Vancouver; Reeve R. M. Grauer, Richmond; F. L. Shaw, Victoria city solicitor; Prof. E. S. Farr, advisor to Victoria on B.C. Electric matters; Charles Brakenridge, Vancouver city engineer; Alderman Charles Jones, Vancouver city comptroller; D. E. McTaggart, Vancouver city solicitor; and Dr. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the Public Utilities Commission, which has made a detailed examination of B.C. Electric affairs.

Economic Not Social Facts Decided Fate Of Shawnigan Mill

Economic advantages outweighed the social disadvantages in the closing down of the Shawnigan Lake sawmill, H. R. MacMillan, president of the MacMillan Export Company, told Mr. Justice Gordon McG. Sloan, royal commissioner, at the forest inquiry, Tuesday afternoon, as he stated this company follows a "good, economic policy."

"Some mills had to close down for there are more sawmills after logs than there are logs. We would have run the mill if it were profitable; we are sort of profit-conscious," Mr. MacMillan told the inquiry. "The mill would need an endowment of \$300,000 or \$400,000 to keep going or an expenditure of \$200,000 on a new mill."

In the past 20 years, he said the books of the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company showed operating losses for 14 of the 20 years, the losses exceeding the profits by \$122,609. It was not an economic operation, he contended with every ownership losing money.

"We ran it for nine months and closed it down in a season when employees could get other employment. There was no outlook of profitable permanence," he said.

DEFECTS IN MILL

He admitted purchase of the company was made to acquire by means of option, timber for the Canadian White Pine Mill. His company, he said, did not know all about the mill at Shawnigan Lake and though the ultimate line it of the purchase was to take logs to the White Pine Mill, the Shawnigan sawmill would have continued operation had it been economically sound. The 3,450,000 feet of logs felled and left in the area will be taken out, he said, without any volume loss. He outlined defects in equipment at the sawmill.

MacMillan interests have purchased timber and logging equipment from Wellburn-Timbers Limited, and propose to continue operation of the mill in conjunction with Gerald Wellburn, Mr. MacMillan said in answer to question of H. W. Davey, counsel for the commission. The total operation, he said, would be as great, if not greater, than before MacMillan interests purchased the company.

With reference to the Canadian Robert Dollar mill at Dollarton, Mr. MacMillan said it was in good shape, but was designed for the China trade and not for a modern market, when nearly everything is sent by rail. There was sufficient timber to keep the Dollarton mill going from 18 to 20 years, but he reiterated his stand that some mills had to close down and those which could produce the most out of all types of logs, were of the greatest benefit to the community. There were about 200 people employed, he said.

NO PLYWOOD PLANT

Anyone who would put in a plywood plant at Shawnigan Lake either had no capital or no judgment, Mr. MacMillan told Mr. Davey in answer to a question. Henry G. Webber of the Malahat Board of Trade queried Mr. MacMillan on the expenditure necessary for a new mill at

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confident that while his company ran the Shawnigan operation, they did not neglect anything that would make it profitable. This last statement was in answer to Mr. Webber's submission that hauling equipment was "neglected."

E. N. Horsey was called to the stand during the afternoon session. J. F. McMullen, B.C. counsel for the C.P.R. and E. & N. Railway, said the E. & N. have never made a complete survey of the land grant to find what timber they possess. When queried on the export of logs, Mr. McMullen

contended that it was a matter of government policy. If Canada imposed a restriction that no lumber could be exported, Canada would get a demand from the U.S. for concessions to compensate for that loss, he said. "All logged lands were sold and we have no interest in them at all," Mr. McMullen said in answer to another query. When questioned on matter of regeneration of logged-over lands, he contended that taxes would have to be substantially waived from the point of view of private interest, if it were to grow second stands of timber.

Brilliant Man to Face Trial On Arson Charge

NELSON, B.C. (CP)—Alfred Cleeton, Canadian Pacific Railway station agent at Brilliant, 30 miles southwest of here, was committed for trial Tuesday in connection with an arson charge arising from a fire March 17 at a schoolhouse in Brilliant.

At the conclusion of the crown evidence, Cleeton said he had nothing to say and would reserve his defence. He has the right to come before the county court or elect jury trial at the spring assizes.



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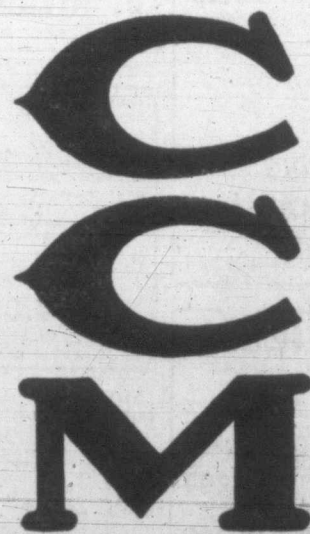
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for essential users, still the voluntary rationing of bicycles, by the manufacturers and dealers in co-operation with the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, is being continued this spring. This will help to relieve other over-burdened modes of transportation and provide essential transportation where no public services exist by directing the available bicycles to those who need them most. If you need a bicycle, and qualify as an A, B, C or D rider, go to your favourite C.C.M. dealer and make your application as soon as possible—the sooner you apply the sooner you will be cycling.



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 Dance Orchestra-CJVI.
 Peter and the Princess-CBR.
 Sound Effects-CJVI.
 Time Out-CJOR.
 Metropolitan Melodies-KOMO.
 News-KIRO, KXK at 5.45.

6.00—**News-CJVI.**
 Club 600-CJOR.
 Drama-CBR.
 Gabriel Heiler-KOL.
 Time to Smile-KOL.
 Frank Sinatra-KIRO.
 Terry and the Pirates-CJVI.
 Believe It Or Not-KOL 6.15.

6.30—**Variety Show-CBR.**
 District Attorney-KOMO.
 Jack Carson-KIRO.
 88 Keys-CJOR.
 The Time of the Times-CJVI.
 First Night-KIRO.
 Spotlight on the Stars-CJVI.
 High School on March-CJVI.

7.00—**News-CBR.**
 Time for Reflection-CJVI, CJOR.
 Royal and Gunnison-KOL.
 Kay Kyser-KOMO, KFO.
 Great Music-KIRO, KXK.
 Raymond Gram Swing-KIR.
 Waittime-CJVI.

7.30—**Labor Force-CBR.**
 Rodgers With Wings-KIR.
 Green Hornet-KIRO.
 Jones Ranger-KOL.
 Carnival-KIRO.
 Latin America Time-CJVI.

8.00—**Rhythm Fantasy-CBR.**
 Fred Waring-KOL, KOMO.
 Four Date at Eight-KOL.
 Watch the World-KOL.
 I Love Mystery-KIRO.
 Army Night-CJVI.
 Lull and Abate-KIR, KIS.

8.30—**Beat the Band-KOMO.**
 Organ Recital-CJVI.
 Four Date at Eight-CJVI, CJOR.
 Oretta Time-CJVI.
 Radio Show-KOL.
 Dr. Christian-KXK, KIRO.
 My Best Girl-KIR.

9.00—**News-KOL, CBR.**
 Sammy Kaye-KIRO, KXK.
 Mr. and Mrs. North-KOMO.
 Hollywood Theatre-CJVI.
 Miracle Radio Show-KIRO.
 British Band Concert-CJVI.
 Classics for Today-CBR.

9.30—**Scramby Andy-KOL, KOMO.**
 Rotary Farm Drive-KIRO.
 Crossed Wires-KIRO.
 The Shadow-CJVI.
 Police News-KOL.

10.00—**News-KOMO, CBR, KXK.**
 KFO, CBR, KIRO, CJVI.
 Music of the World-KOL.
 Elmore Philips-CBR at 10.10.
 Great Melodies-KOL.
 CBC News Round-up-CBR, KIS.

ONE MINUTE NEWS
 ABOUT
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"Just recently, Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supply, warned that the coal shortage in Canada will continue to be serious for the duration of the war—despite increased production and an unusually mild winter. To help homeowners save fuel, the government has issued a timely booklet, "House Insulation in Its Relation to the War Effort" and you can obtain a free copy by writing to Johns-Manville.

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 7.30—THE GREEN HORNET
 8.00—ARMY NIGHT
 8.30—GRAND OLD SONGS
 9.00—BRITISH BAND CONCERT
 9.30—THE SHADOW
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Tonight's Features

6.00—Eddie Cantor—KOMO.
 6.00—Frank Sinatra—KIRO, KXK.
 6.30—District Attorney—KOMO.
 6.30—Jack Carson—KIRO, KXK.
 7.00—Jean Tennyson—KIRO, KXK.
 7.00—Kay Kyser—KOMO.
 9.00—Monty Woolley and Sammy Kaye—KIRO, KXK.
 9.30—Orson Welles—KXK, KIRO.

10.30—Orchestra—CBR, CJVI.
 Sherman Clay—KOL.
 Washington Reports—KIRO.
 Broadway Shows—KOL.
 Radio Show—KOL.
 Close of Day—CJVI.
 Words and Music—CJVI, 10.45.
 News—KFO at 10.45.

11.00—Frank and Ernest—KIR.
 "G. O." Man—CJOR.
 Wally Anderson—KIRO.
 News—KOMO, KOL.
 Anything Goes—CJVI.
 News—CBR at 11.15.

11.30—Music—KXK, KOL, KOMO.
 Famous Bands—KIRO.
 Canadian and Pacific—KIR.
 News for Alaska—KIRO at 11.45.
 News—KIRO, CBR at 11.55.

Thursday
 7.00—News—KOL, KIRO, CBR, KOMO.
 Musical Clock—CJVI.
 Gardener's Information—KFO.
 Farm Forum—KIR.
 Inosoma Inc.—CJVI.
 News—KIRO, CBR, CJVI.
 News—KIRO, CBR, CJVI, 7.25.

7.30—Breakfast Bandwagon—KOMO.
 Anne O'Brien—KIR.
 Shady Valley—KOL.
 Sam Hayes—KOMO, KFO, 1.45.
 News—KIRO, CBR, CJVI.
 Christian Science—KIR.
 Radio Parade—KOMO.
 Anna Baxter—KIRO.
 News—KIRO at 8.15.
 Frontline Family—CBR at 8.15.

8.00—News—KIRO, CBR, CJVI.
 Jerry Morris—KOL.
 Just About Time—CJVI.
 Kitty Forde—KIRO, KXK.
 Victor Landauer—KOL.
 Breakfast Club—CJOR, KIR.
 Musical Comedy—CBR.
 Secret Meditations—CJVI, 8.45.

9.00—News—CBR, KIR, CJVI.
 Shut In—CJOR.
 Boats Carver—KOL.
 Sing As We Go—CJVI.
 Radio Show—KOL.
 Gallant Heart—KOMO.

9.30—Melody Mustangs—CJVI.
 Hallelujah Time—KOMO.
 Good Music—CJVI.
 Breakfast at Sardi's—KIR.
 Helen Trent—KXK, KIRO.
 Lucy Linton—CBR.

10.00—News—KOL, KIR.
 Musical Program—CBR, CJVI.
 Life As It Is—KOL.
 Standard School—KOMO.
 Happy Days—CBR, 10.15.

10.30—Stars of the Week—CJOR.
 Home Front—CJVI.
 Homefronters—CJVI.
 Bernardine Flynn—KIRO.
 Let's Be Charming—CJVI.
 Baby Institute—KIR.
 They Tell Me—CBR, 10.45.

11.00—Guiding Light—KOMO, KFO.
 Victor Landauer—KOL.
 Musical American—CBR.
 Concert Caravan—CJVI.
 Make Mine Music—CJVI.
 Fortia—KIR, KIRO.

11.30—News—KIR.
 Doctor Melrose—KIRO.
 Eddie Zouhara—KOL.
 Soldier's Wife—CJVI, CBR.
 Light of the World—KOMO.
 Little Snow—CJVI.

12.00—News—KOL.
 Coffee and Korn—CJOR.
 Mary Martin—KIRO.
 Al Smith—CJVI.
 R. C. Farm Broadcast—CBR.
 American Women—KOMO.
 Morton Downey—KIR.
 News—CJVI at 12.15.

12.30—News—CJOR, CJVI, CBR.
 Cecil Solly—KIRO.
 Farm Journal—KIR.
 Paper Town—KOMO, KFO.
 Music for Moderns—CJVI, 12.45.
 Christmas Committee—KOL.

1.00—News Review—KIR.
 Famous Voices—CJOR.
 Backstage Wife—KOMO, KFO.
 Stanley Robin—CBR.
 Broadway Melodies—KIRO.
 Walter Connolly—KOL.
 Waittime—CJVI.
 Brave Tomorrow—CJVI.

1.30—News and News—KIRO.
 Full Speed Ahead—KOL.
 Lorenzo Jones—KOMO, KFO.
 News—KIR, CJOR.
 Liptonaires—CBR.
 Red, White and Blue—CJVI.

2.00—Ray Dady—KOL.
 When a Girl Marries—KOMO.
 Broadway Melodies—CJOR.
 Open Door—KIRO.
 Midway Time—CJVI.
 Waittime—CJVI.
 Newsworld Theatre—KOL at 2.15.
 What's Doing—KIR.

One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

SUPERMEN AND BOOKS

I CAN'T IMAGINE living without access to books—that is, to the books I like. Being an omnivorous reader, I should be utterly lost without them.

And I admit my taste is catholic, for I am equally addicted to Dickens, Kipling, Burns, Lin Yutang, Ibsen, Ruskin and Emerson, as well to many lesser-known authors of yesterday and today.

So I have often wondered what life must be like in Germany since the Nazis held their huge funeral pyres of the classics and the moderns whose philosophies were diametrically opposed to the "supermen" who applied the torch.

NAZI AND NASTY
 HITLER'S ALLERGY towards such writers as Thomas, Heinrich, Klaus and Erica Mann, Feuchtwanger, Upton Sinclair, Einstein, Ernest Hemingway, Theodore Dreiser, Jack London, Stefan and Arnold Zweig, to mention but a few whose works were destroyed, is inexplicable to any but a Nazi mind.

And the nasty official attitude towards books doesn't seem to have improved in the interim, judging by an enlightening report recently issued by the United Nations Information Bureau.

Through this agency has been collected a potpourri of odd but enlightening items which have appeared in the various newspapers of Europe.

"ALICE BLACKLISTED"
 CAN YOU IMAGINE, for instance, anyone but a rabid Nazi blacklisting "Alice in Wonderland"? And why is it banned?

Because the author, in the language of the official responsible for the edict, was "unacquainted with the elementary principles of child psychology."

Personally, I would pit Lewis Carroll's understanding of children against Hitler's any day. And the company of the Walrus and the March Hare and the White Queen would be infinitely preferable companions for any child than a goose-stepping Gestapo official, in my opinion.

And the youngsters of Nazi-dominated Europe are also to be "protected" from the baleful influence of Hans Andersen.

GESTAPO VS. LICE
 THE AMUSING FABLE of "Little Grech Soldier," by the famous writer of fairy tales has been removed from all the bookshelves on the ground that it is "suggestive."

And how! For the fable in question tells of a little green louse which destroyed rose leaves and, not realizing its own destructiveness, wondered why nobody loved it!

Can it be that the idea penetrated some less obtuse official brain that there is any similarity between green lice and Nazis?

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK (AP)—Late foreign exchange rates:

Canadian dollar in New York opening market 10 1/2 per cent discount or 89.50 U.S. cents, up .06 1/4 of a cent.

Europe: Great Britain official buying \$4.02, selling \$4.04. Latin America: Argentina free 24.94, up .04 of a cent; Brazil free 5.20; Mexico 20.65n.

James Kilgore, stable worker, was leading Winnamucca, a horse owned by a Vancouver doctor and in charge of Ken Darbyshire, down the aisle of No. 3 barn at the Willows stables, when a second horse nipped him. He kicked out with both hind legs, striking Hammond who was leaning against the wall. The injured man died a few minutes later; he was rushed to Jubilee Hospital.

Jurors for the inquest were Edward Claydars, Caesar Finmore, Llewellyn Lewis, George Matheson, Ralph Sundin and Harrison Young.

Columbia Professor On Visit Here
 Dr. John Bartlett Brebner, native of Toronto and now assistant professor of history at New York's famed Columbia University, has been spending some days in Victoria, studying British Columbia history in the Provincial Archives and Library.

Born in Toronto in 1895, Dr. Brebner took his B.A. at St. John's College, Oxford, and in 1921 became lecturer on modern history at University of Toronto. In 1925 he went to Columbia and for the last 10 years has been engaged in a survey of Canadian

Suggestiveness is apparently a cardinal sin to the minds of Gestapo men. They evidently possess a certain amount of perspicacity—or is it fear?

"PIED PIPER" BANNED
 FOR THEY recently imprisoned a Danish playwright for writing a story which they dubbed "suggestive."

This related the adventures of an earwig which dropped in a plate at a family picnic. The earwig waxed so fat on what he found on the plate that he swelled to a monstrous size and finally killed one of the family.

Even "The Pied Piper" has come under the ban. No more will the children of Europe journey with the children of Hamelin on their adventurous trips with the rodents.

Why? Because the sensitive Nazis resent the implication that any German city could be overrun by rats!

Had they a modicum of humor, of course, they would admit that there are worse vermin than rats running around in the Reich today.

Not only fairy tales and nursery stories have been the subject of official disapproval, however.

BLACK MARKET
 JULES VERNE is also to be relegated to the limbo of forgotten things. Or perhaps he is consigned to twenty-thousand leagues under the sea? But whatever his fate, Hitler's minions have decided to ban him because "it is believed he liked Englishmen."

As one would expect with such wholesale banning and destroying of books, there is an active and profitable black market for books of any kind.

A Reixt Brussels newspaper protests against the "astronomic prices" being demanded for certain works. It cites, for instance, that the French translation of "Gone With the Wind," formerly selling for the equivalent of \$1.70, now has skyrocketed to \$40 or up.

HUMORLESS HUNS
 IN HIS "Reflections on the Revolution in France," Edmund Burke observed that "Learning will be cast into the mire and trodden down under the hoofs of a swinish multitude."

This war has proved again that the swinish multitude can destroy the written word, but the great truths will live on long after such man-made regimes have been forgotten.

So I leave this final thought. These recent manifestations of the Nazi mentality bear out what I have always contended: That the Germans' greatest failing is their lack of a sense of humor.

For if they had any semblance of it, they would long ago have died laughing at themselves!

Merriman Round-up

It may be possible to get one single idea of his own and observe nothing more important in another country, even in these times, than trifling differences in etiquette from those that have governed his own narrow life.

From Marjorie Fordyce, Portal, N.D., comes an interesting bit of information about a golf course in two countries, half in Canada, half in U.S.A., and players can only play half the course. There's more about it on the sports page.

Victoria man writes to say he thinks writer signing herself "Canadian Woman" shows little trust when she deprecates British women's hospitality to soldiers overseas. "If a war were taking place in Canada," he says, "we, who have been mighty glad of the whole, some, kindly homes of England, would not mind Canadian women being as kind over here. Perhaps, however, the rather narrow-minded Canadian wire prefers her husband to be lonely in the wet London streets."

American relations for the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

He has many friends in Victoria and spent last week-end with Lt.-Cmdr. G. S. Graham, formerly of Queens University and now chief instructor at the naval college at Royal Roads.

Ex-Jockey's Death Was Accidental
 Frank Hammond, Yarrows shipyard worker and ex-jockey, met his death last Sunday by accident, jurors decide at the inquest held at S. J. Curry funeral directors today by Coroner E. C. Hart.

Donald Stancil, charged with the theft of a truck belonging to Bais Singh, wood dealer, pleaded not guilty before Magistrate H. C. Hall today. Taking the witness stand, Stancil said he had not known the truck had been taken without permission.

The case was adjourned for Stancil to call a witness.

Three motorists paid parking fines of \$2.50 each and one motorist was fined \$5 for crashing a stop light.

Calgary Livestock
 CALGARY (CP)—Cattle 193, calves 5.

Good to choice butcher steers 11.00 to 11.75, common medium 3.50 to 10.75, good to choice butcher heifers 10.50 to 11.25, good to choice butcher heifers 10.50 to 11.25, common medium 8.00 to 10.00, good cows 7.75 to 8.25, common medium 6.00 to 7.50, canners and cutters 3.50 to 5.50, good bulls 7.25 to 7.75, common medium 6.00 to 7.00, good to choice weal calves 12.00 to 13.00, common medium 9.00 to 11.50.

Hogs yesterday 15.95 for B1 yards, 15.90 plants; sows 9.00 to 9.10, liveweight yards, 9.10 plants.

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Yellowknife at Top

TORONTO (CP)—The mining groups accumulated a sizeable margin of price gains over losses and the industrials and western oils were steady to strong.

Lake Shore Gold gained 1/2 to 1 1/4, Dome gained nearly a point to 27 1/2 and small fractions were added by Hollinger and McIntyre. Wright-Hargreaves advanced 25 cents to 3.30. Giant Yellowknife touched a new top at 3.25 but failed to hold the gain.

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 20 industrials—119.16, off 1/2
 20 golds—102.87, up .96
 15 western oils—28.67, up .23

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